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HUGHES APPEALS TO YOUNG MEN TO SUPPORT G. O. P.

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then designed by Secretary Garrison a young man who had been necessary to send our nation's guard to the border.

"What was needed on the part of the administration was no exertions, but the business-like action demanded by the condition of the times. One of the very few strong men the President gathered about him left the cabinet rather than be responsible for seriously mistaken policy.

"The organization of the army and its manifest defects, I must content myself with saying that I believe that we should have a regular army large enough for the ordinary military demands in the absence of grave national exigencies, and that our first citizen's reserve should be trained and controlled by Federal authority.

"In the administration of the navy department we have had incapable leadership. The young men of the country cannot fail to take a special interest in these matters. We propose to have adequate preparation and the efficiency of administration which is its indispensable condition."

"The Republican party, Mr. Hughes asserted, 'during its long history at a time of the deepest national peril.'"

"Preserving the nation, it not only abolished slavery, but emancipated the people from the curse of a destructive sectionalism," said the nominee, "after reaching at length what he termed the achievements of the party. Mr. Hughes asked:

"What sort of a country does young America, vibrant with patriotism, desire?"

"Saying he would endeavor to answer the question, Mr. Hughes continued:

"He wants a country respected throughout the world. He wants a country which respects the dignity of its citizenship and thus deserves and enjoys the esteem of other nations. He wants no arrogant assertion of power, no policies of aggression, he has no desire for strife. But he desires to have the American flag a symbol of

honors of a courageous and indomitable spirit, of an intense love of justice, of great strength, well organized, but never misused, which is the protection to American citizens in their last rights throughout the world. He must recognize that there is no permanent security for a people which takes counsel of its fears rather than of its principles. Finally, justice and changing purposes are fundamental either at a nation's honor or of a nation's peace."

"If we do not protect our trade, Mr. Hughes declared, it will be constantly pinched and strangled."

"Will invite slaughter."

"If the lives of our citizens are not safeguarded," said Mr. Hughes, "there will be a continued invitation to slaughter by those whose contempt we have evoked. If we do not protect our own, what a mockery it is to talk about the opportunities for American enterprise throughout the world. How can we use these opportunities if our American engineers, architects, clerks, salesmen, bookkeepers, representatives, American interests abroad, are left without adequate protection in countries of frequent revolutions or unstable government? We are told by one of the ablest apologists for the administration that it has abandoned our historic policy of full protection to American citizens abroad. This is its candid interpretation, not of the administration words, but of its record."

"What authority has our policy been abandoned? It is a change that has broken a specific pledge to the country. It is a change of policy which ought to mean a change in administration."

"The Republican candidate asserted we had been 'morally lacking' in adequate military preparedness. This was illustrated, he said, at the Mexican border, where we had grave delays, a revelation of a weak and inadequate system, of any army ill-equipped, deficient in rifles, shoes, uniforms, and horses."

"In addition, he said, a large number of the men were 'physically unfit for duty.'"

"Defense Measures Delayed."

"With a world in arms and a Mexican policy provocative of trouble, Mr. Hughes declared appropriate measures for the country's defense were delayed by the Wilson administration."

"I speak in terms of the highest praise of the patriotism of the guard," said Mr. Hughes, "but I think it a serious criticism of our military organization that we should be compelled to send men from their peaceful pursuits to the Mexican border for police duty because we had not a reg-

CONDEMNED POLICE STAR IS RECOVERED

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Police star "No. 12" whose owner General Frederick Punston, U. S. A., ordered "shot on sight" during the 1906 earthquake and the disaster, was restored today after a search of more than ten years. A newspaper said he found it with a police uniform in a trunk which he purchased yesterday in the mission district from a second-hand dealer.

The star and uniform originally belonged to Detective James Collins. He took it home the night of April 18, when the fire reached the hall of justice. It was stolen. Later a uniformed man with star "No. 12" was reported, was seen cutting below, looking over his shoulder at women victims of the disaster.

General Punston ordered a big soldier to shoot on sight. Collins carried general custom in assuming another number. Punston's order was never recalled.

ular army large enough for the purpose.

Mr. Hughes declared himself "in favor of a world court for the determination of 'justiciable controversies, through which we shall have the advantage of the growth of precedent, according to the genius of judicial decisions.'"

"We also need to perfect the machinery of consultation with respect to other controversies," he said, "and to develop international co-operation to secure respect to those tribunals and councils."

"There is an effort to make it appear that in some way a vote for me will be a vote for invisible government," continued Mr. Hughes. "I and here talking to my old friends and neighbors who know the circumstances in which I am coming into public life as well as I can endeavor to correct this."

"If I am elected President, there shall be no invisible government. We shall have no devious or unblatant methods of administration. We shall have no trading in public offices to pay private obligations. We shall have no bargaining with international government, a government of laws efficiently administered by the most competent men obtainable."

"May Have Been 'Rude Awakening.'"

"When the European war ends and the millions of hungry men return to work, Mr. Hughes asserted, America is likely to have a 'rude awakening from its present dream of prosperity.'"

The war, he added, has had the effect of a tariff giving American manufacturers tremendous opportunities, with their natural effect on employment, on wages, on industry and trade.

Mr. Hughes attacked the Underwood tariff, saying that after it went into effect, the cost of living went up and the opportunity for making a living went down. If we safeguard American prosperity when the war ends, he asserted, we must apply the principle of protection to American industry."

"We want protection, not for the sake of protection, but for the mere sake of protecting our resources. We want protection primarily to serve as a basis for the American scale of wages and to promote and maintain the American standard of living," declared Mr. Hughes.

"Young America, if intelligent and thoughtful, cannot look with complacency upon low administrative standards," concluded Mr. Hughes. "We cannot but wonder at the burden a taxation which those now young will be called upon to bear in middle life, if we do not give closer consideration to the improvement of our governmental methods. Some day we must demand a more businesslike administration for the great activities of the federal government with fewer places for incompetence and less 'bureaucracy.'"

"We must conserve our material resources and our human resources. I am in deep sympathy with protection of our children from being drawn too early into industrial struggles."

"I want to see young America trained, educated, physically strong and mentally keen, with every opportunity for the development of their aptitude. Young America has the key to the future. What kind of a country does young America want?"

"Letters Say Ship Is Wireless Base"

LONDON, 6:10 p. m., Oct. 25.—The following two letters, intercepted on their way to Germany, were made public here today. The first one from Max, 441 East 5th Street, South Boston, addressed to his brother, said:

"Dear Gustav:

"The Wilhelm sailed today. I am to stay here till the end of the war. The Wilhelm will act within the American three mile limit as a telegraph station for submarines. She has four months' provisions aboard."

"The second letter was from the captain of the Wilhelm, named Jackson, who wrote from New London to his sister in Germany, saying:

"I rejoice I am now here as captain of the Wilhelm. 'The Kohn' still lies at Boston. I am here with the Wilhelm on a special mission. Later you will hear more from me. I rejoice that I have done something for the Fatherland and that I still have more to do."

"The North German Lloyd steamship Wilhelm, which took refuge in Boston soon after the beginning of the war was taken to New London on August 25 last under command of Captain Jackson, and was tied up at the pier of the East Forwarding company, the American agent for the German submarine mechanism. The Wilhelm was said to carry a full crew of German sailors, some of whom were said at the time to have been recruited from other ships. The wireless on the Wilhelm as well as on other German and belligerent vessels in American ports, was dismantled and seized by customs officers soon after the beginning of the war."

"The steamship Kohn also owned by the North German Lloyd reached Boston from Bremen August 11, 1914, after eluding British cruisers in the Atlantic. The Kohn is still tied up at Boston."

Wireless Is Sealed

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mission of the Wilhelm at New London but officials here after investigation have accepted as true the story that she ventured to sea from Boston and braved the adverse cruiser patrol off the coast for fifty miles to act as "mother ship" for German merchant submarines expected to arrive at the Connecticut port.

Inquiry has developed that the Wilhelm has not left her dock at New London since arriving there and her wireless equipment has remained sealed. The ship is a merchantman in American waters for safety, not subject to internment and is free to leave as she pleases so long as American neutrality is not violated. For that reason only ordinary clearance papers were necessary for her voyage from Boston.

JAPANESE PAPER CHEAPER THAN U.S.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Japanese paper manufacturers are able to purchase raw material in Canada and underbid American manufacturers on the finished product, according to James A. Emery, general counsel of the National Association of Manufacturers, who spoke before the National Machine Tool Builders' Association at the closing session of their annual convention here today. He urged American business men to turn their attention from Europe to the Orient.

"Japan is now re-arming herself by selling munitions to Russia," Mr. Emery said. "Her commercial fleet dominates that sea."

Next year's convention will be held at Cincinnati.

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—The Pressed Air Company declared a quarterly dividend of \$1.50 a share on its common stock in addition to the regular quarterly dividend of \$1.75 a share on the preferred stock. The common disbursement represents an increase of 50 cents a share over the previous payment.

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ALLIED NATIONS DOMINATING WORLD RAW MATERIAL

Washington Looks With Disquiet on Economic Conference

STUDYING FACTS

Other Countries Excluded From Benefits of Allied Agreement

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—Domination by the allied nations of the world's raw materials which are essential to American manufacturers has been proved conclusively to officials here by the completion today of a comprehensive summary of British trade policies as to imports into this country. As a result, the recent Paris conference of the entente powers is regarded here with far greater disquiet than before.

The proposed commercial war after the war, at first viewed skeptically as an outlying policy which could not survive the heat of war or the operation of perennial economic forces, is looked upon as a more practical proposition in the light of the investigation. Consequently an earnest study of the facts available is being made, and every effort extended to supplement the information now at hand. Every indication since the conference has tended to decrease the feeling that its provisions could not be carried through. Since then, it is pointed out, the British list, which had been enforced by England for some time, has been accepted in principle by all the allies.

What is more, the agreement made then for the closer economic unity between the governments is shown by reports now coming in to be working out, through mutual concessions, excluding other countries from their benefits.

Domination is Mexico.

In the compilation of the various arguments which England has instituted in this country to prevent allied resources from going to Germany's aid

Has Gold Pulled From Teeth; Uses It to Buy Whiskey

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Joseph Hefferman, according to a verdict in the municipal court here today, had his teeth pulled to get the gold therefrom; pawned the product and bought whiskey with the proceeds. He was sent to the house of correction on complaint of the dentist whom he failed to pay.

It is seen a strong indication of what the allies might do through different methods after the war. This domination of the supply of certain raw materials demonstrated after a year of war, considered in connection with Article 3 of the Paris agreement, is believed to constitute a distinct menace to this country. Article 3 says: "The allies declare themselves agreed to conserve for the allied countries, during the whole of the period of commercial, industrial, agricultural and maritime reconstruction, and for this purpose they undertake to establish special arrangements to facilitate the interchange of these resources."

There are no less than fourteen different forms for various kinds of materials which American importers must file with British consuls before certain goods can be released to them from the British dominions. These materials, according to the complete list secured today, include tin, chromium, cobalt, iron, steel, rubber, diamonds, mica, raw leather, plumbago, all the alloys of iron, including ferro-manganese, cobalt, chrome, tungsten, molybdenum, vanadium, nickel, and several kinds of ore.

Moreover, the restriction is enforced through the associations of American manufacturers interested in the trade, such as the New York Metal Exchange for metals; the National Association of Tanners for tanning materials; the United States Shell Importers' Association for shells; and the Textile Alliance for wool and jute. In cases where the importer cannot apply through and be vouched for by such an organization, he signs a personal agreement with the British consul.

Moreover, the conditions for the length of the war and for all forms of the kind imported, even though part of their supply is from neutral or American sources. The conditions, which run through the whole list of agreements, provide that the importer is bringing in the goods for his own use in manufacturing and not for further sale; that in no case will he sell to a blacklisted firm; that he will sell in some cases only to the British empire; and in others that he will sell to neutrals only through London under licenses to be obtained there; and that in all cases every precaution will be taken to prevent the goods from falling

CANADIAN RAILWAY STRIKE AVERTED

One of the Principal Points Decided for Men; Some Compromised

WINNIPEG, Man., Oct. 25.—The threatened strike of conductors and trainmen of the Canadian Pacific Railway, ordered for tonight, has been called off, it was officially announced here this afternoon, following a conference between representatives of the employees and officials of the road.

Immediately after the brief official announcement was issued, brotherhood leaders dispatched messages to all districts, warning the strikers to return to work.

It was understood that no statement would be issued regarding the terms of settlement until late today or tomorrow. Between 7,000 and 8,000 men were directly affected by the strike order. The men were demanding certain concessions in working hours and wages.

It was learned that one of the principal points at issue was decided in favor of the men. Train crews will be paid for their preparatory time prior to departure of trains. Another important question, that of guaranteed miles of way freight crews, was disposed of by compromise on 2,000 miles. The company desired to base salaries on mileage of 2,200 while the men wanted salaries based on 2,100 miles.

Long into German hands. Always, it is provided that the original contractors and documents will be held ready for examination by the British authorities.

So far officials here have not been able to hold any of these arrangements, as they recognize that England has the right of embargo if she desires to use it. Nevertheless, the power which British officials have in this country of discrimination as between American firms, and the possibilities that some such arrangements might be continued after the war under a form made legal to fit the conditions for peace, has had a most disquieting effect.

Retaliatory legislation recently passed at the eleventh hour last Congress is thought to fit the present situation under section 302, providing "that if any article produced in a foreign country is imported into the United States under any agreement, understanding or condition that the importer, dealer, or any other person in the United States shall not use, purchase or deal in, or be restricted in his using, purchasing, or dealing in the articles of any other person, there shall be allowed, collected and paid thereon in addition to the duty otherwise imposed by law a special duty equal to double the amount of such duty."

As yet, however, there has been no disposition to use this legislation. While it is claimed that its use would be fully justified, it is said that breaking up of the present informal arrangements would simply cause a general British embargo on raw products which would leave this country in a much worse situation than it is at present under the limited importation scheme, which has proven acceptable to all merchants but those who wish to trade with Germany or with blacklisted firms.

It is because of the precedent which the present situation has established and its possible effect upon war-after-the-war that officials, and the deepest concern are continuing investigation with the view of planning action to protect American industry.

SOUTH BEND, Ind., Oct. 25.—Six persons were killed today when an interurban car of the Southern Michigan Railway company struck an automobile, north of South Bend. Only one body has been identified, that of Franklin Brown, of Livewood, Ind.

OPEN BIDS ON FOUR SHIPS AND TWENTY DESTROYERS

Soaring Price of Structural Materials Affects Naval Program

Bids Are Close Within Limit Set By Congressional Appropriation

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—When bids for four new battleships and twenty destroyers, the largest single contract ever placed by the navy were opened today it was disclosed that the government faces the soaring prices of structural materials in perfecting the navy building program. Although the department had allowed \$20,000,000 for each battleship, more than it did last year and placed a limit of \$11,500,000 for hull and machinery alone, the bidding ran with a close margin.

All the bids proposed modification of the department's specifications in one respect. The lowest figure quoted by any bidder was \$10,000,000 by the Fore River company for two ships to be delivered in 12 and 45 months, respectively.

That bid, however, was under the department's proposed for electrically propelled vessels and stipulated that the department and not the company should supply the machinery.

For a single ship within 42 months under the same conditions the company bid \$11,000,000.

For one ship to be equipped with geared steam turbines to be supplied and guaranteed by the company, \$11,016,000 was quoted for two ships, \$11,116,000 each.

All bids of the Fore River Shipbuilding company, controlled by the Bethlehem Steel, were submitted with the express stipulation that they were based on current prices for material and labor. The company proposed that the government pay any increase of cost by any decrease and let the Federal trade commission determine the figures.

The Cramps submitted no figures at all but proposed to build the ships at cost and take a contractor's profit of 10 per cent.

The opinion of the navy constructors, based on a hurried estimation of the bids, is that all are sufficiently within the limit of cost to permit all the ships being built by private industry and that there will be no necessity for construction in government yards, unless a question of policy, it should be thought desirable.

The Bath Iron Works company, Bath, Me., offered to build two destroyers within 22 and 25 months with a speed of 25 knots, for \$1,152,000 each, or three destroyers within 22 to 24 months for \$1,160,000 each or four destroyers within 22 to 25 months at \$1,150,000 each.

Destroyer Bids.

The California Shipbuilding company submitted a letter stating that because of unusual industrial conditions and the uncertainty of future labor and materials markets it was compelled to decline contracts.

The company declared it was anxious to co-operate with the navy department in prosecuting the building program and was willing to rent the government its berths and other construction facilities of the plant.

Under the arrangement, it was stated, the government would furnish all plans, equipment and material and merely pay the company for use of its plant.

The Cramp bid on four destroyers to be delivered in 27, 28, 29 and 30 months respectively at \$1,185,000 each. Radical alterations in the navy department's specifications for the ships were proposed, however, which make it impossible to compare the offer with the others until a careful study has been made.

BISHOPS OF M. E. CHURCH CONVENE

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Oct. 25.—Informal discussion of various questions bearing on the future policy of the Methodist Episcopal church marked the opening session here today of the administrative body of the denomination. Beginning tomorrow all deliberations of the board will be secret. Only a few questions of importance will come up at the present meeting, it was said. A reception was held tonight.

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ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Oct. 25.—The panel of jurors for the trial of Oscar D. McDaniel, prosecuting attorney of Buchanan county, who is charged with the murder of his wife, was dismissed by Judge Thomas F. Ryan, this afternoon.

\$500,000 LOSS IN LUMBER FIRE

ROCKVILLE, Oct. 25.—Fire completely destroyed the plant of the Swain Lumber company in Feather river canyon, near here today. The flames, which wrought damage estimated at which wrought damage estimated at more than \$500,000 consumed more than 5,000,000 feet of lumber in addition to the mill buildings.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

ANOTHER BRITISH LOAN ARRANGED

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Official announcement was made today by J. P. Morgan & Co. that a new British loan of \$500,000,000 had been arranged. It will bear interest at 5 1/2 per cent and is payable in two installments, one of three years and one of five years.

PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 25.—Contracts for the construction of six motorships have been awarded to the American Shipbuilding company, Harry B. Spear, president of the company, announced today. The company, which is composed largely of Spokane men, recently established its plant at Warrenton, Ore., at the mouth of the Columbia river. Each vessel will have a carrying capacity of 2,000,000 feet of lumber.



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Silk fibre at 6.95 to 19.75.
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Silk petticoats that conform to present-day fashion requirements—
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8:00 P. M.

FUNERAL OF LATE PREMIER IS HELD

Two Are Mentioned as Possible Successor; Slayer Held to Court

VIENNA, Tuesday, Oct. 24, via London, 345 a. m., Oct. 25.—The funeral of Count Karl Sturgis, the late Austrian premier, was held this afternoon in the cathedral of St. Stephen. Archbishop Dill officiated. Emperor Francis Joseph III attended. The body was taken to Halbrunn, the premier's former home, for burial in the family tomb.

For successor to Count Sturgis as premier the names of Dr. Ernest von Koerber, now finance minister of Austria-Hungary, and Prince Count von Hohenlohe-Schillingsfurst, now Austrian minister of the interior, are mentioned. Dr. Friedrich Adler, who shot and killed Premier Sturgis on last Saturday, was turned over to the court where the case is to be tried.

JURY IN MURDER TRIAL DISMISSED

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Oct. 25.—The panel of jurors for the trial of Oscar D. McDaniel, prosecuting attorney of Buchanan county, who is charged with the murder of his wife, was dismissed by Judge Thomas F. Ryan, this afternoon.

\$500,000 LOSS IN LUMBER FIRE

ROCKVILLE, Oct. 25.—Fire completely destroyed the plant of the Swain Lumber company in Feather river canyon, near here today. The flames, which wrought damage estimated at which wrought damage estimated at more than \$500,000 consumed more than 5,000,000 feet of lumber in addition to the mill buildings.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

ANOTHER BRITISH LOAN ARRANGED

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Official announcement was made today by J. P. Morgan & Co. that a new British loan of \$500,000,000 had been arranged. It will bear interest at 5 1/2 per cent and is payable in two installments, one of three years and one of five years.

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make any difference how strongly we "put it—you want proof any way, so come to our well-appointed jewelry store and look over the stock of handsome bargains in this line.

Superb jewelry unequalled for money value on display in all the late patterns.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

News and Advertisements.

New crop of California walnuts at Holland's.

Use Danish Creamery Butter.

Jersey Farm Dairy. Pasteurized milk.

Butter factory—New location, 2525 Tulare.

Kate Johnson, florist, 1136 J street. Phone 400-3.

Dr. J. L. Martin, physician and surgeon. Office corner J and Fresno Sts.

General transferring, baggage, freight contractors, moving and packing by experienced men; black warehouse. Phone 1160.

Will the party who got the wrong overcoat Saturday night at the Colonial hall return it and receive his coat and gloves in return. Phone 1160.

Suit for divorce was begun yesterday in the Superior Court by Mrs. Pedro Garcia against Joe Garcia of Fresno. The complaint was placed on the secret file.

Harold J. Watkins, Cincinnati, Ohio, a visitor to California, continued to the police yesterday that he was robbed of a suit case, Watkins said that the lost suit case when he set it on the sidewalk while he made a purchase of cigars. He said that the suit case contained some toilet articles and a few other articles of nominal value.

Walk-Overs

FOR MEN

Greatest Values in All Shoddom



Style—Snap—Leather and Shoe-making of the best, backed by all the special and regular fittings to meet your particular foot needs. Winter styles now on display.

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RASH ITCHED BADLY ON UPPER LIP

Appeared Like Scale. Could Not Sleep. Scratched and Scat Would Come Off. Completely

HEALED BY CUTICURA SOAP AND OINTMENT

"I was troubled with a rash on my upper lip. It appeared like a scale of whitish color. It itched so badly that I could not sleep at night and when I scratched the scale would come off and leave the skin red and inflamed. It was so bad I could not sleep."

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Twa Mouthfu's o' Naething

RIGHT DOWN ABLAW
YELL FIND,
GIN YE WUSH
TAE READ IT,
A HIT SCRAPIN'
O' THE PEN,
FRAE A GUDE PHEN
O' MINE,
IT ILLUSTRATES
SAE VERBA NICELY,
A TRAIT O'
SCOTTISH CHARACTER,
AT I WAD LIKE
TAE HAE YE
PERUSE IT,
ARGUMENTATIVENESS,
WILL NO DIE GUT
ON THE AIRTH,
WHILE BONNARS,
AN' SPENCER,
AN' ROBERTSON,
AN' LOCHHEAD,
AN' THIR HAINES,
AN' HAINES HAINES,
ARE WI' US,
SIC LIKE
HEATITUDES
AS
"TURN TH' OTHER CHEEK"
AN' "TAE PROOD TAE FECHT"
AN' "ONNYTHING
FIR PEACE"
FIND BARREN
LODGEHENT
IN A SCOT,
ILKA BREEZE
FRAE HIG SIERRA'S,
MINDS HIM O'
TH' CALLER AIR
O' SCOTLAND,
EVEN BRACKEN,
RE TH' BRACKEN,
OYE CA' IT FERN
IS FURTHER GOAD
TAE MEMORY,
AN' ADTER
MEMORY STERTS,
YE CILDNA HAID
ANE O' TH' BREED,
THAR 'LL FECHT
OWER ONNYTHING,
PRONUNCIATION
O' A WARD,
"R WAY TAE GANG
TAE HEAVEN,

"R POLITICS,
"R BRAIN' HAINES,
"R WASTIN' WAYS
O' THIRAWIN'
HAWKES HAINES,
IT JUST CUMS
NATURAL
TAE FECHT,
MA PEYFIER
GIED ME COPY,
O' SIR WALTER SCOTT,
FAIR FU' O'
MARITAL TALES,
FIR DELIGENCE
IN LEARNIN'
MA A-B-AIDS,
AT SCHULE,
AN' STIRIN' TALE,
TELT IN SIC
STIRIN' MANNER,
HAE BUNE FIR ME
EXACTLY WHIT
THAEVE DONE
FIR ILKA LAD,
A READ THEM
AN' MADE NOR THOT,
AT EVENIN' TIME,
OOR AULSTERS
USED TAE SET,
AN' FECHT AWAY
AULD BATTLES,
ILKA NITE,
TH' WHIE
WE SMA' ANES,
LISTENED
CAN YE WUNNER
"AT SMA' HEAD
FILLED,
IN SIC A MANNER,
WILL IN
AULD AGE,
RE SIC A HEAD
AS RIDES AROON'
ON SHOULDERIS
O' SIC SCOTS,
AS YE MAY
HAE TH' LUCK,
WI YIR PHEN'S
TAE NIMMER
WI YIR PHEN'S
READ ABLAW,
HOO SCOTS FA' OUT,
YIR PHEN'
SCOTTY.

Tae ma frien Scotty

IT WAS NICE O' YE MAN,
COMIN' TAE SEE ME
THE WAY YE DID.
ME BEING A STRANGER
TAE YE
"SHIPS PASSIN'" YE KEN;
YE GAEIN' ANE WAY
AN' MYEL'
TH' ITHAR
WHEN THEY TELT ME
"DAVE,
HERE'S YER FREN' SCOTTY,"
AN' YE GIED ME
YER GUID RICH HAUN;
I WAS FAIR SUNNERT
FIR WHAT TAE SAY,
BUT I LIKIT YER BEN,
SAE QUIET
AN' STEADY LIKE
AFTENTIMES
I FEEL LIKE BURSTIN' OOT
WI' SOMETHIN' GRAIN'
THAT WINNA COME,
AT I COULD THINK O'
"FINE WEATHER, MAN,
AN' MAYBE WELLY DRY
A RAISIN OR TWA
YET,"
BUT SYNE OOR LAST CRACK
WAS O' THE DARKIN'
ELEMENTS
I THOCHT
AE TELL YE
A GUID ANE
THAT'LL MAYBE MAK' YE LAUGH,
WHIEHET:
DI YE KEN
JOHN BONNAR:
A WONDERNA' MAN "JOHN,"
SAE VERSATILE
AN' MAIST DIVERTIN'
AN' A FINE SCOT
O' THE AULD SKULE;
BUT IF YE KEN JOHN,
STAY QUIET LIKE
AN' KEEP HIS NAME
OOT O' YER PAPER
OR YELL STIR UP
A BUMBEE'S BIRE,
SAYS JOHN TAE ME,
SAE STERN LIKE
"DIGRACEFUL" IT IS,
AN' MAIST SHAMEFUL,
HOO OOR ANCIENT
AN' CLASSIC TONGUE
SAE SAIRLY ABUSED
"CAN' BE
BY YERSEL'

AN' ITHAR
F' THE PUBLIC PRESS,
THO' SYNE I'M PLEASED
WT YEL' HE SAYS,
"YE IDNA' WRIGHT
THE WORD 'WRIGHT'
"RIGHT,"
I SAYS TAE JOHN:
"HAE YE A COPY O' BURNS
AT HAME?"
"YE MAY BE MIGHTY SURE O'
THAT," HE SAYS,
"I SLEED WI' BURNS
AN' BIBLE
C'NEERNEATH MA PILLOW
ILKA NITE,"
"HAE YE GLOSSARY
AT THE END O' IT?"
I SAYS TAE HIM,
I WAS FAIR SILVERIN'
MYSEL',
I HAE NA' KEERIT INTAE BURNS
FOR MONY A YEAR,
"AS TAE THAT," HE SAYS,
"IT MIGHT BE
THAT I MIGHT HAE,
AN' AGAIN IT MIGHT BE
THAT I MIGHT NA' HAE
I HATE BEEN SININ' BURNS
A MA LIFE,
BUT I HAVNA' GOT
TAE THE END O' THE BURE
YET,"
"WELL," I SAYS,
"IF WRIGHT IS 'WRIGHT,'
I'M RIGHT,"
AN' HE SAYS,
"WELL, IF WRIGHT IS NO
"WRIGHT,"
I'M RIGHT;
BUT, IN ONY CASE,"
JOHN SAYS,
"IT MIGHT BE YE'ARE RIGHT,
BUT WHETHER YER 'WRIGHT'
IS WRIGHT
AN' YERE RIGHT,
OR WHETHER YER 'WRIGHT'
IS NO' WRIGHT,
AN' YERE NO' RIGHT,
WELL, MAK' IT RIGHT
A'RCHIT,
GUIDNIGHT?"
I HAVNA' SEEN JOHN SINCE
HE GARD TAE HIS
GLOSSARY,
YER FREN',
"DAVE"

LOCAL BREVITIES

Archie D. McKean yesterday brought suit for divorce against Mrs. Pearl McKean. The hearing will take place before Judge H. Z. Smith in the Superior Court.

Carl Beyer, the 3-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Beyer, 14 White's Road, died yesterday at the family home. Announcement of the funeral will be made later. Lisle Brothers in charge of arrangements.

An explosion of a gasoline can is believed to have caused the fire in the Collins garage, 1400 I street, yesterday afternoon. The damage resulting from the fire was slight.

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—Beautiful new models from New York's leading designers. Exclusive styles in serges, velour cloths, poplins and novelty plaids. Full flaring coats in the long, swaggart effects. Large or military collars, fur and velvet trimmed. Wide skirts with belts and pockets. Special values at \$29.75

New Coats at \$24.75

—In plush, fancy coats, fur-trim, or velour. Coats that have that snappy, distinctive style smart dressers look for. Full and wide at the bottom—large collars, either plain, or fur trimmed. Lined with guaranteed satin. All sizes including stout sizes up to 50. Special at \$24.75

Serge Dresses at \$14.75

—Clever serge dresses with large pleats, and large collars of white silk or broadcloth. Embroidered belts. Large number of well made, stylish dresses in this assortment at the specially low price of \$14.75

New Fall Waists



Lingerie Waists 98c

—With the new large collars and frills, also a number of beautifully embroidered styles. There are waists in this assortment worth to \$1.98. Special at 98c

Crepe Waists \$3.98

—Exquisite waists of Georgette crepe, in flesh color or white; lace trimmed; large collars and long sleeves. \$3.98

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Mrs. Hubbard

Baby Specialist and Graduate Nurse Who
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—Mothers who are desirous of securing information concerning the care of baby, should come and meet Mrs. Hubbard, for she can give you just the right information with reference to the proper care of your child. And she will demonstrate to all the Vanta Pinless and Buttonless method of dressing an infant.

—To all mothers who come to meet Mrs. Hubbard, we will give a

Dainty Baby Record Book Free

—Mrs. Hubbard will be in our Infants' Wear Section all this week.

A New Boot at \$6.50

—A new black glaze kid lace boot with white washable kid top, as illustrated. A nifty, beautiful shoe with Goodyear welt soles, Vanity Fair heels and blind eyelets. All sizes at \$6.50

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—An 8-inch button-top boot of kid and calf. Light, flexible soles, full Louis leather heels. An extremely popular shoe at a popular price. \$5.00

Boot at \$6

—A new 8-inch button-top boot with strictly hand-turned soles and full Louis XIV covered heels; extreme new toe. This is one of the handsomest boots of the season. Our price \$6.00

New Beaded Slippers at \$3.50

—A new three-strut beaded slipper, with strictly hand-turned soles and covered French heels; either black satin or fine kid stock. Beautiful footwear for dress slippers. \$3.50

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—Are unequalled anywhere. For hosiery that wears, fits, and gives complete satisfaction, come here.
—Women's Fine Fibre Silk Hose with the new flare like elastic top. Heel and toe double thread. Colors, black, white, pink, gray, navy, sand, lavender, etc. All sizes—pair \$5.9c
—Women's Pure Silk Hose in stripes in all combination colors. Double heel and toe, elastic like top. All the rage. Pair \$1.25
—Women's Wool Hose with ribbed top; full fashioned; with or without seam. All sizes, in black only. Pair \$5.00

—Women's Cotton Hose, medium weight for fall. Black or white. All sizes. Double heel. A wonderful wearing hose for toe and foot, elastic top 25c
—Fine Ribbed Stockings for boys or girls. Double knee, heel, toe and foot. All sizes from 1 to 12. Double toe made. Lay in a single and save on every pair, for we're offering them at 19c

—Boot Silk Hose in black or white. Top of hose—double thread heel and toe. All sizes. A wonderful wearing hose for toe and foot, elastic top 29c

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Boys' Suits
At \$5

—Boys' Norfolk and Pinch Back Knicker Suits; two pairs of knicker with each suit; full lined; full per top and with double stitched and taped seams; wool suits in chevrons and cashmeres. In all shades and patterns; all sizes 6 to 15 years; suits worth \$15.00. Our special price \$5.00

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—Boys' all wool overcoats, with waisted fitting; all shades and patterns and all models, in medium and long coats—hanger, belt or pinch back coats, with plain convertible collars or velvet collar.

Special \$6.00

Black Silk
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—New black silk bags in pouch effects with drawstring top; silk lined and with purse and mirror; trimmed with silver heads on side. They are new and pretty and exceptional values at \$1.25

New Crochet Bags 98c

—Made of combination color silk finished crochet thread. Colored mesh bottom and draw up at the top. 98c

Flannelette
Gowns 98c

—Women's Flannelette Gowns in all sizes, white and striped, with collar or with round neck. 98c

—Flannelette Gowns for children; plain white and colored; with or without collars. 59c

—Flannelette Petticoats for large women; plain white and striped in colors. Special values at 59c

Children's Flannelette
Sleeping
Garments

Correctly made Night Robes Sleepers and Pajamas for boys and girls of all ages from 1 to 16 years. Flannelette Sleepers for little tots, in plain white also pink and white, and blue and white stripes. Flannelette Night Robes and Pajamas for boys and girls 4 to 6 years, in neat striped effects. Many styles to select from, at 49c

—Sweaters for School Children; in red and gray, with two pockets and knit neck collars; all wool. \$2.18

—Toggles, in all colors, with buttons on the sides; good fitting and all wool. 50c

—Fleece Lined House Dresses, in dark olive; trimmed with rich rick rack band. \$1.49

Peerless Patterns For
November Now Here

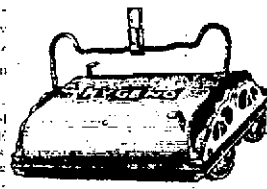
10c and 15c

Blankets & Comforts

Sheet Blankets \$1.89
—Large double bed size cotton sheet blankets, in gray and tan with colored borders. On sale here \$1.89
Woolnap Blankets \$2.59
—Double bed size woolnap blankets, with pink and blue borders. On sale \$2.59
Plaid Woolnap \$3.48
—Woolnap plaid blankets, size 72x94, on sale at \$3.48
Wool Blankets \$4.98
—White wool blankets with pink and blue borders. Special \$4.98
Wool Blankets \$6.49
—Large size gray wool blankets, with pink and blue borders. On sale at \$6.49
Wool Blankets \$5.29
—Wool blankets in a large assortment of colored plaids. Other sizes sell them for \$5.29 to \$5.75. Our price \$5.29
Comforts \$1.69
—Small stitched silklike comforts for double beds. On sale \$1.69
Comforts \$2.25
—72x94 small stitched silklike comforts. Special \$2.25
—Main Floor

Think of It!—98c For a
\$3 Carpet Sweeper

Compare the Hygeon Carpet Sweeper that we're selling at 98c, with any \$3 sweeper, and you'll see that the Hygeon is equal to the \$3 sweeper in every important detail.
The Hygeon has a steel case finished in mahogany color. It is full nickel plated, and has an ALL BRISTLE BRUSH that will last 10 to 20 years. It has rubber foot wheels and a long polished handle. We have only a limited number of these sweepers left. On sale at 98c

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TULARE ST. BETWEEN I. AND J.
We Sell For Less Because We Sell For Cash

Society

Mrs. J. D. Davidson and Mrs. Lloyd Moultrie were honor guests at a delightful bridge luncheon given yesterday by Mrs. E. E. Manheim. For the dining table a charming decorative scheme was shown by using five beautiful yellow buds with mauve hair fern. The after-luncheon hours were devoted to the ever popular bridge games, the gift for high score going to Mrs. H. A. Pratt and guest prizes were presented to Mrs. Davidson and Mrs. Moultrie. The guest list included Mesdames T. W. Patterson, H. Winkate Lake, P. M. Romalin, L. A. Nares, N. J. Reed of New York, James Madison, E. A. Walcott, P. Black, W. O. Miles, F. H. Shaw, C. H. Shaver, W. W. Graycroft, David Falk of Boise, Idaho, H. A. Pratt, H. F. Sneath, George C. Hootling, D. H. Trowbridge and H. O. Baker.

Arthur W. Goodfellow will probably return today from San Francisco, where he accompanied Mrs. Goodfellow, who is en route to New York with Mrs. M. L. McComas of Monterey.

A delightful bridge afternoon was that given yesterday by Mrs. Westwood J. Baker, whose lavish southern hospitality is well known by her friends. Mrs. Horace P. Smith of Richmond, Virginia, sister of Mrs. W. B. Isaacs, was the incentive for this charming occasion. The rooms were lovely in their decorations of bright blue dahlias, red berries and greenery and the jollity of the afternoon here convincing testimony of the efficiency of the hostess. At the close of the games a guest prize was presented to Mrs. Smith and the first gift for high score was given to Miss Myrtle Harrell, while Mrs. J. F. Hixson was fortunate in cutting for second. Those invited were Mesdames C. W. Musick, Geo. Osborn, Eva Brown, W. J. Tinnin, J. F. Hixson, W. G. Baymiller, W. L. Adams, L. A. Sayre, D. H. Trowbridge, J. A. Webster, A. G. Wiskow, G. L. Jarlow, T. M. Hayden, H. W. Lake, P. E. Twining, S. L. Strother, C. H. Riego, Scott McKay.

George C. Hootling, B. B. Minor, Sr., E. J. Bullard, R. B. Cockrell, Milton Diering, J. M. Collier, James Tyron, W. B. Isaacs, W. T. Knowles, H. M. Johnston, A. B. Clark, A. W. Burdick, Floyd Burks, Misses Julia Sayre, Adelaide Thornton and Myrtle Harrell.

Mrs. Chase S. Osborn, wife of ex-governor Osborn of Michigan, arrives in San Francisco on Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Osborn and Mrs. Chase Osborn, Jr., will motor to San Francisco to meet her and bring her to Fresno, where she will divide the next two months with her sons.

The girls of the Normal school will entertain this evening with a dance at the Normal, this being their custom each semester. Alluring decorations will be carried out and these clever young ladies are making programs of bright yellow cards with black cast and ovals, done in water colors. Refreshments of Halloween style will be served.

The Columbia social club will meet next Friday evening at Parish Hall for a Halloween celebration. In addition to the program, Mrs. C. F. Reilly will read William Butler Yeats, "The Land of Heart's Desire," an appropriate selection inasmuch as it deals with fairy land.

Mrs. Blanche M. Taft of the domestic science department has started an advanced cooking class for women outside of school. This interesting class meets three times a week.

The Wednesday Afternoon Card club was entertained by Mrs. Florence Bred yesterday with Mrs. J. G. Porter and Mrs. A. L. Hoover as substitutes. Dahlias were used in prettily arranged throughout the living room. The gift for high score went to Mrs. J. G. Porter.

Little Miss Patricia Seymour was a youthful hostess yesterday entertaining a dozen wee friends with a Halloween party. A huge Jack O'Lantern with Halloween favors made a

most attractive table. Among the little people were Mary Cecile Gearhart, Billy Jane Blasingame, Anne Craycroft, Dorothy Phillips, Marian Craycroft, Gene Anderson, Elizabeth Watson, Nancy Neely, Dorothy Wharton and Helen Osborn.

Miss Belle T. Ritchie will delight her friends this evening with a song recital with Miss Martha Sprengle at the piano. Miss Ritchie since her return from New York has devoted a great deal of time to study with Wallace A. Sabin, William Shakespeare, England's most noted singing master, and with Madame Esther Palliser recently from London. Miss Ritchie was at first considered a pure contralto, but has developed into a dramatic soprano and her friends are looking forward with great interest to the concert this evening. The following is the program she has selected:

- I. Die Malinacht (That Night in May)..... Brahms
- II. Minnelied (Love Song)..... Brahms
- III. Feldschwengel (The Summer Fields)..... Brahms
- IV. Air, "Heart the Seat of Soft Delight" from "Airs and Dances"..... Handel
- V. Come, O Come, My Love's Delight..... Horatio Parker
- VI. The Lark Now Leaves His Watery Nest..... Horatio Parker
- VII. Song of India (Chanson Indienne)..... Rimsky-Korsakov
- VIII. Als die alte Mutter (Songs my Mother Taught Me)..... Dvorak
- IX. O Thou Billowy Harvest Field..... Rachmaninoff
- X. Morning..... Rachmaninoff
- XI. Aria, "Primitivo qui Commence" (The Springtime Beginning) from "Samson et Dalila"..... C. Saint-Saens
- XII. Psyche..... E. Paladilhe
- XIII. Two Romanian Songs..... Roumanian Night Song..... Hermann Lohr
- XIV. Kerry Dance..... Molloy
- XV. Castles in the Air..... Old Scotch
- XVI. The Bonnets of Bonnie Dundee..... Jacobite Air

The Sunnyside Country Club announces for Saturday, October 28, at 1:30 p. m., a golf tournament between the Stockton Golf and Country Club and the Sunnyside Country Club. This will be the first play in a series of tournaments this season.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Evans are receiving congratulations upon the arrival of a daughter at their home, 163 Calaveras avenue, on Monday morning.

Mrs. Victor Cox entertained yesterday for Mrs. Carrie Curran and Mrs. E. J. Cox. The table decorations were very attractive in Halloween style and the rooms were prettily decorated in yellow flowers and greenery. Guessing contests were indulged in and prizes won by Mrs. Curran and Mrs. E. J. Cox. Those present were: Mrs. W. H. Holbeck, Mrs. J. Jones, Mrs. Sewell, Mrs. F. Woolford, Mrs. W. Truxaw, Mrs. William Ault and Mrs. Bybee.

Invitations are being received by the friends of Miss Lucile Chabot for her wedding to Dr. Harry C. Mitchell, which will take place November 8 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Chabot, on Forting avenue.

Scottish Rite Masons and their ladies will enjoy a Halloween dance October 30. The officers are: H. C. Wilber, T. R. Thomson and C. H. Williams.

Misses Mabel and Dorothy Forscy entertained yesterday afternoon for Miss Lucile Chabot, a popular bride-elect, whose marriage takes place within a fortnight. Yellow dahlias made the living rooms gay for this festive occasion. The hours were spent discussing all the interesting affairs of the pre-nuptial days. Tea was served in the dining room, where a pink-and-white color scheme was observed, with roses in these shades. Those who assisted the hostesses were Misses Dorothy Patterson, Helen Rogers, Mabel Hixson and Dorothy Forscy.

Announcement is made of the marriage of Miss Della Freeman and Bradford Hines, at the residence of Rev. N. G. Nelson, the officiating clergyman. All immediate relatives were present.

Mrs. Joseph L. Corle of Philadelphia is to spend the winter with her daughter, Mrs. C. L. Flint, at her home on Weldon avenue.

Gifford Pinchot will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. John Fairweather during his stay in Fresno.

Among the Clubs

Yesterday afternoon at the Hotel Fresno the Musical Club held a recital tea, the first of the season. Those in the receiving line were: Miss Belle Ritchie, Mrs. John Manning, Mrs. Gus Stanheim, Mrs. Arthur Anderson, Mrs. Montgomery Thomas, Mrs. Zee Glasgow, Miss Martha Harris, Mrs. J. G. Rhodes, Mrs. K. Caldwell Riggs, Mrs. Jesse Blattenberger, Mrs. Frank Connelly, Mrs. L. H. Payne, Mrs. Otto Ottesen, Mrs. Wallace McAfee and Mrs. Besse Alquist. Professor J. W. Moore delighted the audience with several pipe-organ selections. Miss Harriet Bennett, with her lovely clear soprano voice gave an exquisite aria and responded with a group of songs. Mrs. Barla Towner was the accompanist for Mrs. Bennett.

Mrs. Rosemary Hunkins, a recent arrival, gave some splendid instrumental selections, and proved herself a great acquisition to Fresno's musical set. After the program a delightful social hour concluded the afternoon, with the serving of tea. About three hundred guests were present.

The Wednesday Club met with Mrs. F. E. Cook yesterday afternoon, with Mrs. H. W. Neesley, the leader of the day, giving "The King of the Dark Chambers" (Tagore). Mrs. Neesley's reading was charmingly given, as she has made a great study of it.

The Friday Club meets today with Mrs. W. P. Miller, instead of Friday afternoon at her home on Van Ness and Home avenues at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Miller will lead in the study of Hamlet. Each member is privileged to bring one guest.

The ladies of the First Presbyterian Church will hold a social on Friday night.

The ladies of the Westminster Presbyterian Church gave a reception yesterday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Nelson Hawley, at the home of Mrs. Sarah Henderson, at 415 Abby street. Mrs. Hawley was presented with a lovely memento of the occasion. Pink roses and autumn leaves were artistically used in decorating the rooms. In the late afternoon buffet refreshments were served.

Thursday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Robert Wright, 725 Fresno, the minority society of the Powis Memorial Baptist church will hold a meeting. Mrs. Groff will assist the hostess. Rev. M. Tsuji, pastor of the Japanese Congregational church, will give moving pictures of the temples of Japan. Japanese refreshments will be served by girls in costume in a Japanese tea garden.

The Collegiate Alumnae association will hold a meeting at the Parlor Lecture club to hear a political discussion by Frank H. Short and C. M. Ozias. Dr. E. Melvin Johnson will talk on the proposed dental law which is to be established in this city.

The Oleander Ladies' Study club will meet Thursday at the home of Mrs. Nicholson. The following program has been prepared: Roll call; Points of Connection; Women's Share and Know; Legislative Measures for the Coming Election; Mrs. Hutchinson; Florence—The Art Capital of Italy; Mrs. Rudy.

The Exeter Woman's club held an open meeting on the regular club day, Tuesday, October 24, and on account of the large crowd expected the meeting was held at Sierra Vista hall instead of the club room at Mixer hall. Mrs. A. B. Armstrong, president of the San Joaquin Valley District Federation of Women's clubs, Mrs. Edwin Ross of Parlier, state chairman of Country Life and Mrs. Veenfleit, district chairman of legislation, were the guests of the club and furnished the program for the day. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. P. A. Mix and the usual order of business disposed of. Twenty-nine names were voted upon and accepted into membership and four applications for membership were read and will be voted upon at the next meeting. Committees for the coming year's work were given interesting reports as to their departments and the consensus of the meeting was that all the ladies were working and working hard for the club. Two call meetings on the next two Tuesdays respectively will be held to work on carnival affairs. A piano solo by Mrs. Horace J. Evans was the first number on the program and was followed by an address on Federation by Mrs. Arm-

strong who explained the many benefits of co-operation to be derived by the valley clubs. Mrs. A. S. Loomer was heard in a sympathetic rendition of James Whitcomb Riley's "An Old Sweetheart of Mine." Mrs. Edwin Ross gave a beautiful talk on Country Life and the many advantages to be derived from a scientific study of agriculture and social conditions in the country. She spoke of the farm adviser, the teacherage, the co-operative school and good roads as a few of the advantages of the near future. Mrs. C. O. Patten, in a soprano solo accompanied by Mrs. C. L. Burnett, was the next number on the program and was followed by Mrs. Veenfleit, the main speaker of the day in an address on Legislation.

The program committee, Mesdames Ralph Van Cleave, John Van Cleave, A. D. McLean, Horace Evans, Howard Mills, C. F. Bulman and P. A. Mix, entertained the visiting ladies at a luncheon at the suburban home of Mrs. Ralph Van Cleave near Meridian. Mrs. Veenfleit upon leaving paid the Exeter Woman's club the high compliment of being the most enthusiastic and progressive of any she had yet visited in California. The hall was well filled, there being about one hundred ladies present.

The Friday Club will meet this afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. W. P. Miller, 1404 Van Ness. Each member is privileged to bring a guest.

CLUB SMOKER ON ELECTION NIGHT

The directors of the Commercial Club at the meeting yesterday noon decided to hold a smoker on election night, November 7. A special telephone wire will be run to the club quarters and an operator will keep the club members posted on the election results.

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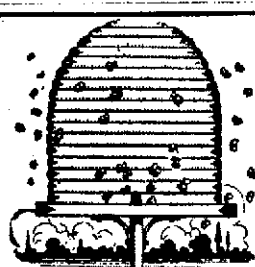
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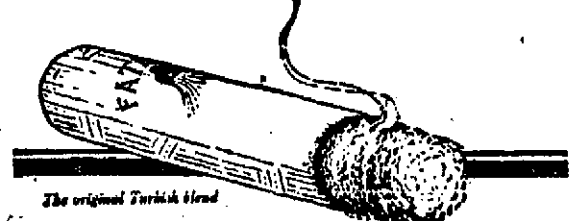
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CHURCH SPEAKS ON DEMOCRATIC LAWS

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HANFORD, Oct. 25.—Congressman Denver S. Church, Democrat, who seeks re-election, addressed a large and enthusiastic audience here tonight on the issues of the campaign. Congressman Church told of the many laws that had been enacted during the Wilson administration. John G. Covert presided at the meeting.

Congressman Church said in part: "Notwithstanding that this country is at present enjoying unequaled prosperity and peace, the greatest blessings that can possibly visit any home or land, there are some political orators who are very miserable and are demanding an immediate change. "But all full-grown American citizens will show by their votes on election day that they are willing to let good enough alone. Some politicians are also suffering intensely because the tariff on imports is to be revised in the future, not by political guesswork, but in a scientific manner by a commission of broad-minded, far-seeing men, chosen by the recently enacted law for this purpose. This commission requires duties, and will see that they are not so high as to prevent reasonable competition, and thus work a hardship upon the consumer, and not so low as to cause too much competition, and consequently do an injury to the producer."

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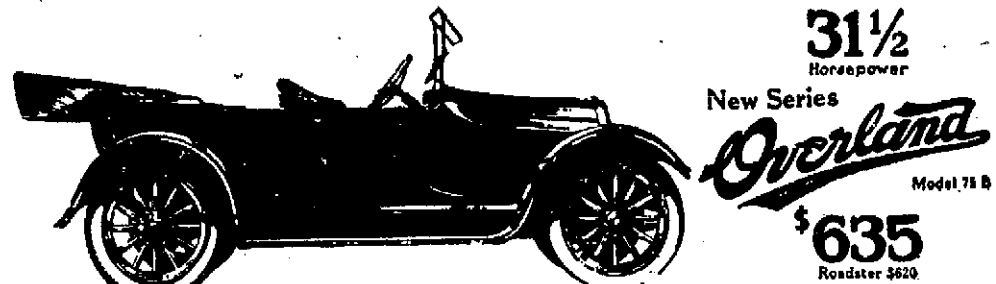
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Formerly a Minister, Twice a Convict, Now Fights for Prohibition

"My Wasted Years," the story of the fight of a man, formerly a clergyman and twice a convict, with John Barrymore and his ultimate victory over booze was told in a clear and forceful style by R. H. Baldwin last night at St. Paul's Methodist church. The life of Baldwin reads like a story, crammed with experiences and contact with all sorts and conditions of men. Though the narrative itself was thrilling, yet the audience was not allowed to forget the lesson that the speaker desired to bring out through his narrative, considered as an argument for prohibition, it is evident that this story of the life of one man is far better as an argument than many pamphlets. The auditorium of the church was well filled with attentive listeners.

Baldwin is a graduate of Yale University, and soon after the completion of his college course was sent to Leipzig for further study in order that he might be returned to Yale as an instructor. While in Germany he met a girl, Miss Florence Critchenden, who afterward became his wife. When he returned to America his wife's father, a wealthy merchant, did not want him to become a teacher, and through his wife he became interested in church work. He took up studies along theological lines and after ten years spent in England and Germany in study he came secretary to Bishop Potter, in New York, and rector of a New York church.

His association with men of the "better class" in the clubs of New York is regarded by Baldwin as the beginning of his downfall. There for the first time he saw men with the "vice cocktail habit," and was persuaded to take his first drink, a small glass of wine. Before long the drinks were more frequent and the brand considerably stronger, until finally Baldwin was obliged to resign his position, forsake his wife and family,

FORMER FRESNAN NOW U. S. SURGEON

Word has been received here that Dr. Samuel N. Norris, formerly assistant in the office of Dr. J. L. Hanks, has received his appointment as a first lieutenant in the United States Army Medical Corps and is now undergoing preliminary training in the military hospital in Washington. Norris took the examination for his commission in August and received his appointment in September. Young surgeons are given a six months' course in the general hospital at Washington before being sent to their various stations. It is not known where Dr. Norris will be stationed.

and isolate himself in the attempt to break himself of the liquor habit. For some years he roved from place to place, keeping in communication with his wife, until finally he learned of her death in a hospital. His desertion of his family was heralded in the papers and was the cause of his dismissal from his position as assistant of Dr. Hanks.

Soon after, Baldwin came to the Pacific Coast. While in Los Angeles he fell in with fast company, spent money that was not his own while under the influence of liquor, and was sent to prison for two years. On coming out of prison, he went to San Francisco, and thence north trying to make good. Strong drink again proved his downfall, and again he was sent to state prison in Oregon. While in prison he learned of the death of his father-in-law, and also that he had left half of a \$7,000,000 estate to found the Florence Critchenden missions and the other half to Baldwin's children.

The speaker described his condition at the time of his release from the prison, and in telling of his life, though almost starving, his money went over the bar to buy more liquor. His self control was gone. Even death seemed preferable than the depths of depravity to which he had sunk. It was in a barbers' "cost mission" in San Francisco, some two years ago, that Baldwin was given strength and encouragement to pull himself together. Since that time, the speaker declared, liquor in every form has been utterly obnoxious to him. In partial statement for the years he has wasted in prison, the speaker said that he would fight the liquor traffic with his every breath. He concluded his address with an eloquent appeal to the voters to wipe out the liquor traffic at the polls November 7.

MORE PARALYSIS CASES
SACRAMENTO, Oct. 25.—Four new cases of infantile paralysis were reported to the state board of health today by Dr. William C. Hasler, health officer of San Francisco. This makes a total of seven cases in the state to be reported within a week.

LINDSAY PRAISED FOR ATTACK ON REDTAPE LAWS

Commissioner of Education Commends Fresnan for Address

Favors Abolition of Too Many Funds, More Time for Work

WILL F. WOOD, state commissioner of education, in an article in the September issue of the California Education, commends E. W. Lindsay, county superintendent of schools, for his address against the redtape in the superintendent's office. Lindsay delivered his address at the convention that was held in Fresno. Lindsay pointed out that a school superintendent was forced to waste much of his valuable time in complying to the many little unnecessary requirements of the law, and that he was forced to neglect other matters.

Wood said the following in reference to Lindsay's address:

Superintendent Lindsay of Fresno deserves commendation for striking a vigorous blow at the Dragon of redtape in the superintendent's office, in his address at the Fresno convention. It is regrettable, but true, that county superintendents are compelled to devote a large share of their time in carrying out legal provisions that have long since outlived their usefulness. Our superintendents are victims of the overdependence of administrative traditions and red-tape superstitions. The fault is not with the superintendents but with the law. The time is ripe, therefore, for simplifying the law and securing for the superintendents the technicalities.

Why, for example, should we have eight different school funds when just two will suffice—one for the elementary school and one for the high schools? We have these funds simply and solely because our fathers laid them. The library fund was introduced into the law in the early sixties for the very substantial reason that school trustees of that time would not expend a cent for books and apparatus unless compelled to do so by law. I am convinced that this fund may now be eliminated. A simple provision that the county superintendent shall annually report to the trustees of a dis-

PORTERVILLE TO GREET PHILLIPS

PORTERVILLE, Oct. 25.—Arrangements for the coming week to hold here a state convention and which is to be addressed by W. W. Phillips, candidate for Congress from this district, are in the hands of the High School Alliance. A platform is to be set up at Main street from which the speaker will address his audience. The Porterville band will furnish music for the evening.

It is a certain minimum amount available for library purposes, and that the superintendent shall expend this amount for that purpose if the trustees fail to do so, would meet the situation. The provision that the state fund must be kept in a separate account was originally intended to protect teachers' salaries. However, there are few districts that do not pay at least twice the amount of money from the state for salaries, so the keeping of the state fund in a separate account now is of no value.

Teachers' salaries can be protected by providing that not more than 25 per cent of the total income from state and county shall be expended for purposes other than the payment of salaries. By all means, let us reduce the amount of clerical work in the superintendent's office. The simplification of the fiscal provisions of the schools will be a cause for rejoicing, not only among superintendents but also among school trustees who are constantly confused in drawing warrants on the various funds.

Confusion of School Districts
I have not been able to determine definitely as yet the number of kinds of school districts authorized by law. We have need for only two kinds—elementary school districts and high school districts. The distinction between city, district and union high school districts, for example, is almost a fiction of the law. They are formed in the same way and the powers and duties of the trustees are identical. The only difference is in the number of members of the board, and in the manner in which they are elected. One section of the code is all that is needed to define the organization of the high school district. A brief paragraph is all that is necessary to make a distinction as to the membership of the board. Most of the people concerned will agree that county high school districts should come under the same provisions as other districts, and be governed by boards elected by the people. Such simplification of the sections relating to high school districts would reduce the school law by at least ten pages.

The laws relating to the issue of bonds are disconcerting, sometimes disconcerting. I am informed by a member of the State Board of Control that it has been obliged to refuse to purchase five school bond issues recently because of failure of school officers to observe legal technicalities. We have one method of voting bonds in elementary school districts and another in high school districts. There is just enough difference between them to confuse and confound. We need a thorough revision of the laws relating to school bond issues.

Two Chief Difficulties
The difficulties I have discussed, however, are only minor ones. We should, in my judgment, seek for the roots of the trouble. We shall find them, I believe, in the Constitution of California. The first major difficulty is found in that section of the Constitution which makes a distinction between the support of elementary and high schools. When the Constitution was framed in 1879, the high school was regarded as a luxury. Before that time it had shared in the state support of primary and grammar schools. In spite of this blow, the high school has grown. The damage done was repaired in 1903 by a constitutional amendment providing state aid for high schools. However, segregation of funds and differences in the legal organization of elementary and high schools are still necessary to comply with the constitution. We still have two distinct divisions of the school system. We have two different sets of laws to govern the two divisions. In cities where the merged in the state support of education is the same as that of the high school board the same board members must meet in separate sessions to transact the business of high and elementary schools. If the artificial barrier between the divisions were broken down, the school law, by at least thirty pages. No other state has a constitutionally bifurcated school system such as ours.

The second major difficulty is in the constitutional provision making the district attorney in each county the chief adviser of school officers. The Supreme Court has decided in several instances that we have a state school system, but as a matter of fact we have fifty-eight different interpretations of the law relating to that system. This has resulted in leading the law with much unnecessary detail. A law which works admirably in fifty-seven different counties may be practically nullified so far as the remaining county is concerned by a single constitutional amendment in the district attorney's office. Whenever this has happened the responsibility from that county, at the next session of the legislature, has introduced a bill amending the code so as to make the law apply in the county affected by the district attorney's opinion. This happens in numerous instances. The result is that the code provisions relating to schools are filled with words, phrases, clauses, provisions, exceptions, and whole paragraphs that are unnecessary and frequently confusing.

What is needed is a central office empowered by law to render opinion in school matters which shall be binding upon all school officials in the state and covered by a competent court. New York has such an office connected with the State Board of Regents, and the plan seems to work admirably. In my judgment, we should not have a dual school system in California, nor should we have a simplified school code, until a similar plan is adopted in this state.

IN THE LODGE ROOM
Pittsburg Council
Pittsburg Council No. 144, Degree of Deacons, will hold a regular meeting tonight and all members of Deacons are invited to be present.

Captain Rhoda Casey announces that adoption of jobholders will take place at this meeting. The drill team is requested to be present at 8 o'clock.

Sister Josephine Benner has been reported quite ill at her home.

At Sister Benner's home on Dinna street, the benefit and social will take place next Monday evening and all members of Pittsburg Council and their friends are cordially invited.

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PERSONAL MENTION

W. R. Price, cashier of the Union National Bank, accompanied by Mrs. Price, has returned from Kansas City, where he attended the National Bankers' convention. He made an extended eastern trip following the close of the convention.

BROOKLINE, Mass., Oct. 25.—General McKean Hyde, U. S. A., retired, died at his home here today of his 75th year. His Civil War career was notable and he was a member of the expedition to the Northern Pacific railway in 1872.

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DETAILS OF BIG FRENCH DRIVE AGAINST GERMANS AT VERDUN

Front on Right Bank of Meuse Literally Swept
Away for 4 1/2 Miles; Work of Months Undone
in Few Hours; Central Armies Surprised

PARIS, Oct. 21, 11:45 p. m. Verdun, long lost sight of, came suddenly and unexpectedly today into the forefront of the public mind which exclusively had been directed towards the battle on the Somme front. The German front on the right bank of the Meuse, literally was swept away for a distance of four and a half miles like straw before the wind.

General Nivelle for weeks past had been watching the German movements. Like a fox, carefully calculating the effect of every withdrawal of troops for transfer to the Somme and eastern fronts. At the same time he quietly made preparations and when the German had thinned their defenses to the danger point, he struck like lightning. The result was one of the most brilliant operations of the campaign.

The Germans, who yesterday were pressing close upon the inner line of

defenses at Forts Souville and Tavannes, have now been driven beyond the outer defenses of Fort Douaumont. Vaux la Vieille, Vaux la Montagne, the possession of the Germans but the north in Vaux la Vieille and Fumin wood, and also on the south of it at Douaumont battery and Chenois wood from both of which positions it can readily be attacked.

Artillery Action Brief.

The French artillery preparation was brief but intense and was over before the German commanders had time to bring up reinforcements even if they were available. The assaulting German waves caught them before the Germans recovered from their surprise and swept over trench after trench sending prisoners in all lines to the rear.

French losses were very light, it is believed, even lighter than any re-

ported in the attacks on the Somme front.

News of the success has caused tremendous public enthusiasm here and this is all the greater because of the general impression that Verdun was over and done with and that both sides were contenting themselves with holding what they had won. Today's operation, proving that the French could strike a smashing blow at Verdun while carrying on an extended offensive on the Somme, has greatly increased public confidence and gone far to lessen the depression caused by the loss of Conflans.

German Surprised.

The French attack at Verdun apparently took the Germans completely by surprise, and for at one point did they succeed in stopping the impetuous rush. In three hours the French captured ground to gain which required months of patient effort by the Germans, including such positions as Douaumont fort and Thiaumont work, which in the past were won and lost repeatedly.

The official French account of the battle, every word of which was carefully guarded, says that the Germans were forced back, but that it was a tactical success. Later details of the French victory show that its extent was as much a surprise to the French as it must have been to the Germans. General Nivelle regarded the front of the Meuse as the crumpled, and was posted to General Nivelle, the commander of Verdun, that he give himself more elbow room. With that end in view, infantry was sent out to reinforce the French and artillery was ordered for the establishment of batteries. The situation department was commissioned to make an exhaustive survey of the positions of the German batteries and points of assembly. This work was carried out and the secret was kept so well that to all appearances the Germans never had an inkling of what was in prospect. Furthermore, they evidently believed the energies of the French were being absorbed by the battle of the Somme and made no preparations to meet a thrust at Verdun. Thus it came about that what was intended for a small and unimportant tactical success, became a brilliant tactical success.

Planned 10 Days Ago.

The attack was planned for ten days ago. Artillery began preliminary work, but rainy weather set in and grand headquarters ordered a postponement. When the time came the attack was delivered by four columns of a division each, first on the left between the southern slopes of Peppier Hill and Talaumont Farm. This met with little difficulty. The attackers carried Talaumont Farm and farm and the Talaumont quarries, set as the objective, and gained the Brass-Douaumont road beyond. There the attackers stopped, having advanced about a mile.

The second column was a colonial division under General Mangin from the corps which retook Douaumont fort last May. The task assigned to it was to take Hill 320, northeast of Fleury, and the edge of Chaillette Wood. The offensive there was more rapid than on the left wing. General Mangin immediately saw that he could advance farther, and the commanding officer was therefore informed that preparations had been made to continue the attack. Hill 320 was rushed by troops from Fleury which approached Chaillette Wood through the celebrated Ravine of Death. They then crossed the wood and reached the approaches to Douaumont fort. Everywhere the Germans gave way before them. However, the garrison of the fort hurriedly prepared to defend the important post and confided to it French troops surrounded the fort and extended their gains everywhere without an instant's delay. Fatigue parties set to work turning the defenses so as to be ready to resist the counter attacks west of the fort. The village of Douaumont had been carried at a run and passed beyond. Meanwhile, a stiff struggle went on between the French and the defenders of the fort. The Germans refused to surrender, and the French killed nearly all of them before they forced their way into the ruins.

French on Right.

Things went equally well on the right. The third column advanced half a mile, reaching the edge of Vaux la Vieille and carrying the part of the Vaux-Chapelle Wood still held by the enemy, known as Fumin Wood. The column stopped north of these woods on the outskirts of the village of Vaux. The fourth column, which was ordered to operate in the vicinity of Vaux fort without taking it, followed out the program exactly. It drove out the Germans from Chenois and Lauffe woods, captured Douaumont battery, and pushing ahead encircled Vaux fort on the east, south and west, so that the defenders have no way of issue except to the north.

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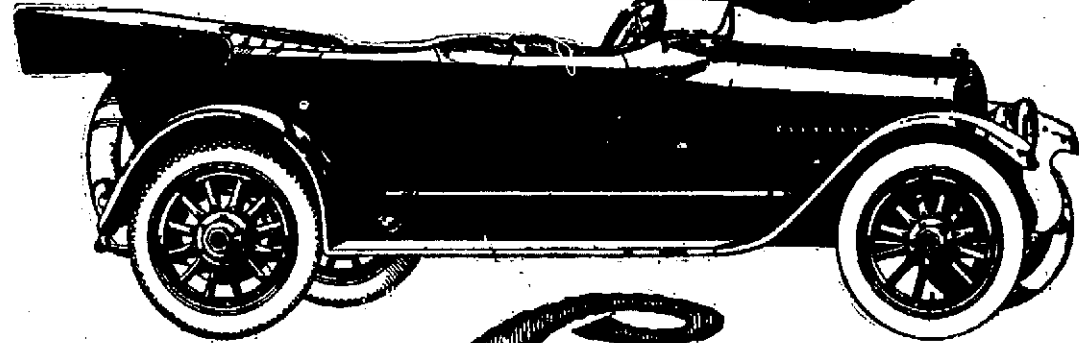
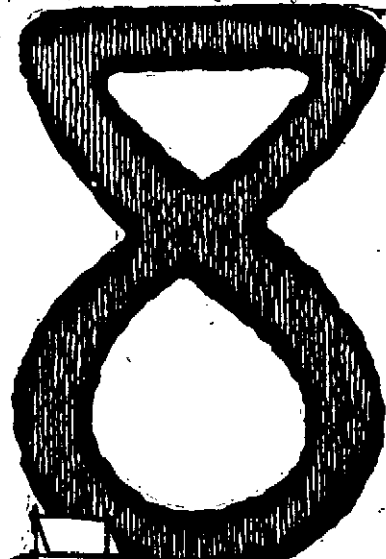
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MORE CHANGES MADE IN EPISCOPAL RITUAL

Recommend That Clergy-
men No Longer Advise
Dying to Make Wills

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 25.—Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church will no longer advise dying persons as to the disposal of their property. It is the house of bishops concurs in an action taken in the house of deputies of the church general convention in session here today.

This action would eliminate from the prayer book the direction to ministers to urge a dying person who has not disposed of his goods to make his

will, declare his assets and liabilities, "for the better discharging of his conscience and the quietness of his executors."

The decision was a result of a proposal of the commission on the revision of the book of common prayer to substitute for the rubric which has been used one which clothed the same general idea in different words.

Francis A. Lewis of Philadelphia asserted that such service is not a strictly religious one. "Whether a man has made a will is none of the clergy's business," he said. "His creditors will take care of his debts and his executors in all probability will be well willed."

The lower house vetoed the proposal of the commission and voted to drop the objectionable part of the present rubric.

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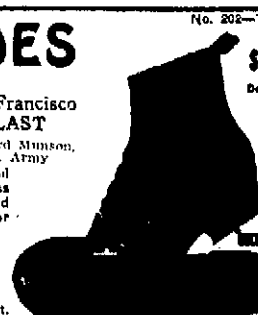
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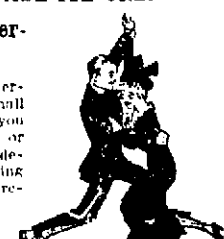


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LECTURE ON BELGIUM TO BE IN AUDITORIUM

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The fifth lecture of the University Extension course being given here by Dr. Jerome Hall Raymond, Belgium, will be delivered in the Municipal Auditorium next Tuesday evening and the proceeds devoted to the Belgian Relief Fund, according to a decision reached yesterday by the University Extension association. The lecture is said to be the best of the series, as the lecturer has made a thorough study of conditions in war-ridden Belgium, and will be able to tell his hearers of the Belgium of today. The lecture will be illustrated by stereophonic slides.

Those holding season tickets will not be charged for the lecture, but all money taken in at the door will be devoted to the relief fund. Adult tickets will sell for 25 cents and children's tickets for 10 cents. A reminder to secure a large attendance is to be carried on.

GOOD ROADS RALLY FOR STATE HIGHWAY

Gillett, Johnson and Chandler to Talk for State Bonds

It is expected that there will be a big turnout Saturday night for the rally in behalf of the \$12,000,000 bond issue to complete the state highway and build the three interstates. The meeting will be held in the Fresno auditorium and the speakers from the Commercial Club will be in charge. Former Governor James Gillett and M. H. Johnson of San Mateo will make talks in favor of the bond issue as well as State Senator Chandler, X. R. Cooper, local representative for the California State Automobile Association, is arranging for the meeting. Mayor Snow was yesterday added as one of the vice presidents.

\$387,163 IS SPENT BY G. O. P. IN WEST

CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Fred W. Cushman, treasurer of the Western Republican national headquarters, stated today that he had received a total of \$387,163.66 in campaign contributions up to the close of business Saturday, October 21, and that this sum had been expended in the western department, which includes the territory between the western line of Ohio and the Pacific Coast. He has forwarded to the clerk of the House of Representatives at Washington, D. C., a detailed report of the receipts and expenditures, as required by law.

He will make another report just before election day, and a final statement within ten days after election.

Eight years ago a total of \$45,000 was collected and expended in the Republican campaign in the western territory.

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COLLEGIANS PLAN TO PUBLISH PERIODICAL

Forum Favors Paper for Junior College; Hold Straw Poll

Plans for the publication of a periodical by the students of the Junior College, Fresno, were discussed last night in the Junior College Forum. The plan is to publish a paper, to be known as the "Junior College Forum," which will be devoted to the interests of the college and the community. A straw poll was held last night to determine the interest of the students in the project. The result was a strong favor for the publication of the paper.

A contest for a new name for the paper is now going on. The contest is divided into two parts, one for the title and one for the design of the cover. The winner of the contest will be announced next week.

SAYS WINERIES GAVE AID TO RAISIN MEN

Paid Million Dollars for Damaged Grapes in San Joaquin Valley

FRESNO, Oct. 25.—That the San Joaquin Winery had paid \$1,000,000 to the raisin growers for damaged grapes, as a result of the frost damage, and that one million dollars had been saved the raisin growers by the aid of the wineries, was told here tonight by J. H. Collier, who is representing the raisin growers and wineries, in a hearing before the Federal grand jury, in connection with the case of the raisin growers' strike.

Y. M. C. A. ORCHESTRA TO MEET TONIGHT

The first regular rehearsal of the Y. M. C. A. Orchestra, which will be held at the Y. M. C. A. building, tonight at 8 o'clock. The orchestra will consist of 25 members, including violinists, violoncellists, basses, baritone, tenors, and a full chorus. The orchestra will be directed by Mr. J. H. Collier, who is the Y. M. C. A. secretary.

MOUSER, STATE OFFICIAL, HERE

Frank H. Mouser, ex-member of the Los Angeles police, who has received the nomination on the Progressive ticket, was in Fresno yesterday on a business trip. Mouser is a candidate for the state motor vehicle department. He is a former member of the Los Angeles police and has been in the police force for many years.

"DRY" MEETING AT NATIONAL COLONY

In the presence of "California Day" a meeting will be held tonight at the National Colony church. The meeting is for the purpose of discussing the "dry" issue and the National Colony is a group of people who are in favor of prohibition.

SEVRES POTTERY IS USED IN WAR

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—As women of all ages and of every nation have joyfully bared their fingers of rings and their arms of bangles to supply the needs of their country's fighting men, so the women of France have bared their fingers of rings and their arms of bangles to supply the needs of their country's fighting men. The women of France have bared their fingers of rings and their arms of bangles to supply the needs of their country's fighting men.

The National Geographic Society has issued an interesting war geography bulletin on Sevres which now assumes a position in that that France's contribution to the war effort. The bulletin is a book of 100 pages and is a valuable source of information for those interested in the war.

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Judging by the letters of which I am in receipt continually, I would say that the tendency of the present day is toward underweight. It is caused from too much dancing, too late hours, or too little nourishment. Perhaps one and all of these reasons.

We know that when a woman is too thin there is a serious reason for it. Thinness does not always necessitate being ill. There are athletic women who continue to take off flesh by continued exercise, and although they appear slight they are hardened down to a fineness of muscle that is as firm as iron.

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There is nothing more wearing on the nutritive system than worry—because this is a form of emotion equal to the strain upon the soldiers just before a battle.

Science proves that various strains of emotion produce an outpouring of adrenin. Whenever there is an excessive output of adrenin over a prolonged period of time, one of the symptomatic effects is emaciation.

The strain of fear, anger and worry cause this condition. You who are thin will say, "I do not overstrain my nerves."

You will dance until late at night,

you will spend hours in stuffy shops during the day. You probably will go without breakfast and then indulge in rich, highly seasoned food. Your nerves are at a high tension at all times, and the least little annoyance upsets you and you feel and keep it in your mind continually. You may read far into the night, stealing healthy sleep from yourself.

You who are thin and hope to put on some solid flesh, examine yourself carefully. Do you take plenty of rest? Have you no secret jealousy nor prolonged secret strain?

Do you go out every night to some public place of amusement, dance or stay up late after it and crawl out of bed in the morning more dead than alive?

If so, you cannot expect either health or flesh.

Do you walk a great deal, dance, or do something to keep you on your feet any length of time? If so, you are not getting sufficient rest. Underweight is not conducive to happiness, for happiness and beauty depend upon health.

No one need be too thin who is not suffering from some chronic infection or exanthematic disease. Should any such condition attack you, waste no time in seeking a cure—by one means or another. Should you be free from any of these insidious diseases, and still suffering from underweight, you have but to breathe enough fresh air and take enough exercise that would suffice a 10-year-old. Eat plain, nourishing food, starting in the morning with a good breakfast as a foundation.

I know you are about to say, "I can't eat in the morning." Then you are unhealthy. Any normally healthy man or woman can eat a good breakfast of fruit, cereal, rolls and coffee. If you are a working woman, you have a better chance to put flesh than if you were idle, for responsibilities occupy the mind and prevent selfish worries.

When the hour of noon comes eat again simply but well. There is no economy in cheap food.

If you want to build up your system for future happiness you must be regular in your hours for meals and eat pure, well cooked food.

A short rest after each meal is conducive to fat, and is an excellent habit for slight women. A little light supper, consisting of fruit, cereal and coffee, will help you to sleep. The old-fashioned idea that eating at night is bad for the health is an exploded theory in these days when night is turned into day and 10:30 is not the regular hour for retiring.

If you can add an hour or two to your sleep and eat well, there will be nothing to prevent your putting on fat but your condition of mind.

Do not let worries and anger dry up your internal machinery, which they can do most effectively if you give in to them. If your desire is to grow fatter you must exercise a fine control over petty annoyances, dismiss disagreeable subjects from your mind, and look upon the happiness of the world as your birthright.

LIABILITY INSURANCE RATE WAR LOOMS UP

Carefully Framed Agreements Described as "Scraps of Paper"

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Carefully framed rate and commission agreements between insurance companies in the general liability field were clashed today as "mere scraps of paper" and a merry internecine war was declared, which, insurance men said, might result in rock bottom liability insurance rates for the public unless peace is reached. As it is, policy writing agents would be the first to profit in the shape of higher commissions.

There was a warm meeting of liability insurance men the other day in which charges were handed out against some of the members of the California inspection rating bureau were charged with secretly cutting rates and today there is in the hands of the officers of the bureau the resignation of one insurance company which has sent out a letter stating it was prepared to grant extra commissions and "to make concessions in rates on desirable liability business."

Workmen's compensation is not involved as the state has a controlling voice in rates on such liabilities. The state insurance commissioner, J. H. Phelps, commented yesterday on today asking companies writing liability insurance to file their operating expenses which would show what it is costing them to get business.

SEARCH FOR MOTIVES FOR FAMILY MURDER

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25.—Love, verse, letters and the life stories of husband and wife, were searched today by the authorities for motives in the double murder last Wednesday of Mrs. Irene Barrett and her son, Raymond Wright, for which Benton L. Barrett, aged Santa Monica rancher, was arraigned yesterday, after an alleged confession that he killed them in "self defense" turned the bodies and hid the unconsumed bones in a cesspool.

Word was awaited from Indiana to clarify a letter from Barrett's daughter Margaret, at Greenfield, Ind., to her father, in which she referred to an indictment there recently "released," approached him for being "stunned" in all his present deeds, and referred to "crooked work" by two persons there. Reference was made to difficulties Barrett had with a farmers' mutual insurance company, of which he was secretary for sixteen years.

INDICT BROKERS FOR CONSPIRACY

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—Indictments were returned today against several brokers trading in the New York curb market, based on complaints made to the district attorney by George Graham Rice, another broker, that there was a conspiracy to force down the prices of the stock of the New York Central and Erie Railroad. The names of those indicted were withheld, pending the serving of warrants for their arrest.

SEARCH IS MADE FOR DYNAMITERS

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 25.—Federal authorities and the police are continuing today an attempt to run down a "black hand" dynamite who exploded a bomb last night under the residence of Frank Palazuela following his refusal to answer threatening letters with a contribution of \$2,000 demanded of him and his son. The bomb did little damage beyond shattering windows and a front porch.

PATTON TO SPEAK IN AUDITORIUM

Senator Phelan Will Make Address on Democratic Policies

Senator Phelan and George S. Patton, candidate for the United States Senate on the Democratic ticket, will arrive in Fresno via the Southern Pacific at 5:30 o'clock this afternoon. They speak tonight at the Fresno auditorium. A number of friends will meet them at the station and escort them to the Hotel Fresno. A big reception committee will form shortly before 8 o'clock to accompany Phelan and Patton to the auditorium.

Arrangements for the big rally were completed yesterday afternoon by the Democratic central committee. Phelan will play a specially selected program at the auditorium beginning at 8 o'clock and closing shortly after eight. There will be no parade through the streets.

Tonight will be Patton's first speech in Fresno. He will speak for his election to the Senate. Senator Phelan will make his first address here since his election two years ago. He will talk on the laws passed by the Wilson administration, laying special emphasis on those measures which are of special interest to this section of California. He has had considerable to do toward the passage of many of the laws he will refer to, as he has been a strong supporter of Wilson policies on national issues since going to Washington.

The names of those who will act as a reception committee to the speakers are: Henry Hawson, chairman; M. K. Harris, L. O. Stephens, Mrs. W. P. Miller, Mrs. S. L. Wiley, Mrs. W. A. Fitzgerald, Chris Jorgensen, W. G. Holland, J. D. Collins, Dr. J. L. Maupin, Dr. W. P. Miller, W. G. Miles, Miss Ida Miles, Miss Breeze Huffman, Miss Delphia L. Hughes, R. C. Cunningham, George L. Ayresworth, C. H. Thompson, C. M. Orlas, D. S. Ewing, T. L. Collins, James A. Burns, C. W. Edwards, G. M. Sanford, John Meux, Phil H. Thornton, George Smith, H. C. Harvey, W. L. Graham, Mrs. Thomas E. Lopez, J. E. Houghton, R. C. Redalick, W. G. Watters, N. Lindsay South, C. E. Beaumont, George Graham, F. W. Becker, William Glass, Dave Barnwell and M. G. Graham.

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\$3.00 Pants	\$1.95	\$1.50 Sweaters	98c	\$1.50 Wool Underwear	89c
Indigo Dye Bib Overalls	98c	10c Sox	5c	\$1.50 Cap	95c
\$2.00 Sweaters	\$1.45	Flannelette Shirts	59c	75c Dress Shirts	53c
Blue and Gray Work Shirts	39c	75c Caps	49c	50c Suspenders	39c
Medicott Pure Wool Underwear; \$2.50 Grade	\$1.79	\$1.50 Dress Shirts	95c	25c Garters	15c
10c Handkerchiefs	4c	Heavy Wool Sox	19c	35c Suspenders	19c
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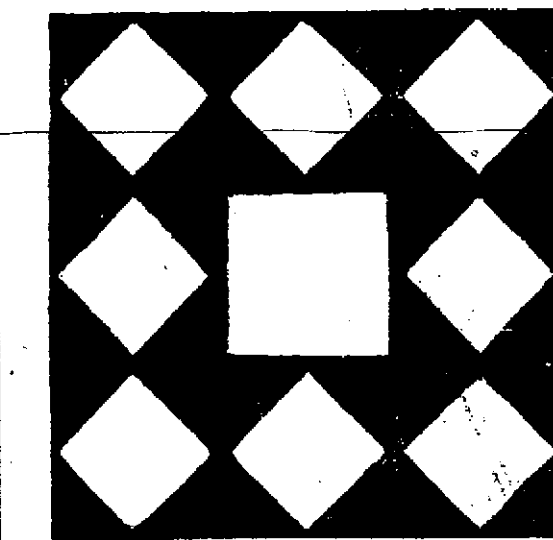
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REPUBLICANS HOLD BIG MEETING IN VISALIA

Phillips Pleads for High Protective Tariff and Republican Ticket

Burke Flays Democrats for Not Reducing High Cost of Living

Visalia, Oct. 25.—The new civic auditorium, packed to overflowing, tonight heard addresses by Republican candidates and business men who favor the republican administration for this country and the election of Charles Evans Hughes to the presidency. The meeting in size and enthusiasm was next to that of Governor Johnson when he spoke here before the primary election.

James M. Burke, deputy district attorney of Tulare, presided at tonight's meeting. Among the speakers were Senator E. L. Larkin, Mayor H. Askin, chairman of the Republican county central committee, W. R. Bailey, secretary of the central committee, S. O. Walker, Charles A. Whitmore, U. W. Phillips, Republican candidate for Congress from this district, made the principal address of the evening. He told how protection, obtainable through a high tariff, was needed for citrus and dried fruit industry and how this could be obtained by a Republican Congress and Senate.

Among other speakers were Robert Horbach, Republican candidate for the assembly and Senator Larkin.

Burke made one of the clever speeches of the evening in which he flayed the Democrats, their policies and their candidates.

"I remember four years ago in this very city when the Democrats told their audiences that they would reduce the high cost of living when a Democratic Congress was elected," said Burke, "but they haven't done it. They haven't kept the cost of living down but it has increased. We are paying 6 cents for a 5-cent loaf of bread and 12 cents for a 10-cent loaf. We are paying for everything, including a war tax when the Democrats have kept up out of war. Ten days ago a Democrat campaigned here. He didn't say anything about reducing the high cost of living but he did mention that the Democrats had an income tax and that the burden of taxes had been lifted from the shoulders of the poor and placed on the rich."

Burke, who served on the border, called attention to the speech of Roosevelt in Denver and declared that the former president's remarks about national defense were true and that his statement could be backed by every soldier on the Mexican border.

Phillips' itinerary for today follows: Leave at 10 a. m. for Sacramento, noon; Lindsay, 3 p. m.; Tulare, 5 p. m., at Woman's Club House.

Friday, October 27, at Gifford Pinchot meeting, Fresno Civic Auditorium, 8 p. m.

Saturday, October 28, Duane and Terra Balla, forenoon; Porterville, 8 p. m.

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RAISINS ARE BURNED IN DRYING PROCESS

Hanford Ranchers Sustain Losses of Over \$4,000 in Three Fires

HANFORD, Oct. 25.—Approximately 11,000 trays of raisins were destroyed by three different fires in artificial dryers in this vicinity last night, the loss being estimated at \$4,275. The dryers were all hastily constructed buildings that were installed after the recent rains. The cause of the fire in each case is ascribed to faulty workmanship. No insurance was carried.

The first fire was on Charles Park, north of this city, 5,000 trays of raisins being lost, the value being \$1,000. On the M. S. Green ranch, six miles north of here, 3,000 trays were destroyed, the value being \$1,000. Robert Dyer of this city lost 2,400 trays of raisins, his loss being \$875.

In each case the owners were powerless to do anything to take steps to save even a portion of their trays and raisins as the fires spread with great rapidity.

CHURCHES OF VALLEY TO START CAMPAIGN

Efficiency Work of Congregational Society to Begin November 13

Tipton, Oct. 25.—The National Council of Congregational Churches recently launched a tenetary campaign, which begins at once and closes in 1920, with the 20th anniversary of the landing of the Pilgrims, which marked the beginning of Congregationalism in America. One item of the campaign calls for an intelligent study and setting forth of the political and religious convictions which brought the Pilgrims to America. Other items call for increase in membership, in mission gifts, and in volunteers for the ministry and mission fields.

In connection with this tenetary campaign, the Congregational churches of the Pacific Coast States are simultaneously launching an efficiency campaign. The pastors are divided into teams of four to six each, and during the week beginning November 13 each team will make the rounds of its churches, spending a day and an evening with each church. In the afternoon there will be a conference with the officers and leaders of the local church as to its equipment, organization and methods. The entire church will sit together and have a general conference about the work. The big service in the evening will be devoted to the presentation of the plans of the tenetary campaign.

The San Joaquin Valley District Association is divided into three teams. One team, consisting of Revs. Giffen, Ellesen, Weage and Wood, will visit in order the churches in Tulare, Fresno (First), Clovis and Bowles, beginning Tuesday, November 14. A second team consisting of Revs. Watson, Kartuzian, Papayan, Wilson and Yenokian will visit the Redley, Parlier, Fresno (Pilgrims), Porterville, Tipton and Fowler churches in order, beginning Monday, November 13. For language convenience the third team consists of pastors of German churches, Revs. Eckhardt, Lieb, Richter, Schwabenhut and Weller, will visit the churches in Dinuba, Sanger, Fresno (Kreutz), Fresno (Zion) and Fresno (Third), beginning Monday, November 13.

RECEIVES FATAL INJURY IN EAST

TULARE, Oct. 25.—In response to a telegram stating that Lorain Dick had received a fractured skull and would probably die, leave Dick and Mrs. Charles Burgan, father and sister of the young man, left last night for Lawrence, Kan. The young man was employed in the construction of a bridge across the Kaw River, when he was struck on the head by a falling piece of timber.

REEDLEY JOTTINGS

REEDLEY, Oct. 25.—The Halloween party which was to have been given by the Philathea and Barnes classes of the Methodist Church, Friday evening of this week, has been postponed to next Tuesday evening, October 31.

J. P. Kane of Fresno was calling on Reedley friends yesterday.

J. J. Reese of Baltimore spent Wednesday in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Beebe of Napa were Reedley visitors on Wednesday.

Miss Kathryn Shamer will leave tomorrow for Fresno, to attend the Fresno County Librarian's Association.

Mrs. F. S. Knauer, the postmistress, who recently underwent a serious operation, has had a remarkable recovery, taken to a Fresno sanatorium yesterday. It is feared that she will have to undergo another operation.

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MEDICAL PRACTICE LAWS ARE ATTACKED

Webb and Woolwine Contend Christian Science Exemption Constitutional

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—In a brief filed today in the supreme court by Attorney General Webb of California and District Attorney Woolwine of Los Angeles, in support of constitutionality of California laws exempting Christian Science and other "pseudopractitioners" from examination before medical boards, the court was referred to forty-six Bible quotations which the California authorities declared, proved "healing by prayer" as a part of the practice of a religion has ample justification in the Scriptures.

It was stated that 17 other states have similar exemptions and an order of former President Taft providing a similar exemption in the Panama canal zone was cited.

Christian Science practitioners, the brief stated, should be classed with druggists, dentists, such as osteopaths and chiropractors, who must undergo examination for license in California. The law is being attacked by a Los Angeles druggist, who is not a Christian Scientist.

MADERO'S SISTER WEDS IN TEXAS

SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Oct. 25.—Miss Angel Madero, sister of former President Madero of Mexico and Senator Jose Trevino Garcia of Monterey, were married here today. The ceremony was attended by Mrs. Francisco I. Madero, who is making her home in this city, and other relatives.

CANNOT DANCE IN L. A. CAFES

LOS ANGELES, Oct. 25.—The restrictive ordinance prohibiting dancing in cafes, hotels and other establishments was rejected by a 2 to 1 vote at a special election yesterday.

TULARE YOUNG PEOPLE WED

TULARE, Oct. 25.—Brooks Glat, a well known rancher and popular young man of this vicinity, and Miss Alta Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Green of Tulare, were married at 1 o'clock this afternoon at the bride's home, Rev. Walter C. Buckner, of the Methodist Church officiating. About thirty relatives and close friends were present. Following a wedding luncheon, Mr. and Mrs. Glat left by automobile on a wedding trip. They will make their home on the large Glat ranch near Tulare.

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WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—The Delaware river is disclosed as the greatest ship building center of the world, in an official statement issued tonight by the department of commerce. The department announces comparative statistics of American and British steel merchant ships building in progress on September 30, showing that total construction in progress in the United States was 469 vessels, with gross tonnage of 1,733,944 against a total in the United Kingdom of 417 vessels of 1,451,570 gross tons. The figures for the United States, however, include ships ordered but not begun, while those for the United Kingdom cover only ships whose construction actually has begun.

The Delaware river ship yards total tonnage under construction exceeds that of all the principal shipbuilding districts, including Glasgow, Newcastle and Belfast. They reported a total of ninety ships building with tonnage aggregating 413,318 tons. Other United States districts have this showing tonnage:

Great Lakes, 218,046; Chesapeake Bay, 213,795; San Francisco Bay, 211,425; Puget Sound and Columbia River, 197,050.

The European record nearest that of the Delaware river was Newcastle with 401,825 gross tons.

TO INVESTIGATE ELECTION FRAUDS

WASHINGTON, Oct. 25.—So many reports of election frauds in the middle West have reached the department of justice that Attorney-General Gregory today appointed Frank C. Dailley of Indianapolis, former United States attorney, as special assistant to the attorney-general in charge of investigations and prosecutions of election law violations in Indiana, Ohio and Illinois.

VANCOUVER, B. C., Oct. 25.—The Pacific Coast Steamship company's liner Governor, which grounded off Point Grey in a dense fog early today, while coming to Vancouver to discharge freight, was floundered at high tide this afternoon after part of her cargo had been lightered. The Governor arrived here early tonight apparently undamaged.

REPORT CHIHUAHUA CAPTURED BY VILLA; U. S. IS DISTURBED

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told army officers that campfires of the attacking force could be plainly seen from the city.

The report contained a detailed report of the crushing defeat received several days ago near Palmar by Carranza troops, under General Ojuna, at the hands of Villa's command.

Carranza Seeks Election
CHIHUAHUA CITY, Mex., via El Paso Junction, Oct. 25.—General Trevino today received a wireless message from General Venustiano Carranza announcing his candidacy for the Mexican presidency at the coming election.

The message stated there probably would be many changes in the Carranza cabinet. General J. J. Gonzalez, it was stated, is to give up his command of the first army division to accept a special confidential commission.

SUBMARINES SINK 5 NORWEGIAN BOATS Sensational Rumors Are Current of Strained Relations

LONDON, 12:15 p. m., Oct. 25.—The sinking by German submarines of five more Norwegian steamships, valued at about 5,000,000 kroner, is reported in an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Christiania.

Shipping shares dropped considerably on the Christiania exchange today.

The steamers Alva and Rising and the schooner Theodore, together with the Swedish schooner Antiope and Rens, are among the latest submarine victims, adds the dispatch.

The Tidens Tegn of Christiania states that one boat with six men from the Norwegian steamer Ravn reported sunk by a German submarine at Arctic on October 2, has been lost, while another boat reached a lonely part of the Russian Murman coast after drifting 13 hours.

News agency reports from Copenhagen through London last night reported

FALL OF CONSTANZIA ADMITTEDLY SERIOUS Petrograd General Staff Does Not Think It Means Catastrophe

PETROGRAD, Oct. 25, via London, 8:12 p. m.—The loss of Constantia, Rumania's chief seaport on the Black Sea, according to semi-official comment among members of the general staff, "puts Rumania in a serious position, but it is not to be supposed it will entail any catastrophe."

Colonel Shumsky, military critic of the Bourne Gazette, says the success of the Teutonic Allies like the importance which it appears to have and means only that Rumania has fallen back on a new defensive line from Tchernavoda to the Black Sea. The assaults of the invaders along the Constantia-Neftli line is likened to the operations in the number of "Hill" crowded on the front.

Colonel Shumsky asserts there is one division for each three miles of the thirty mile stretch—a strength said to be seldom exceeded on any front.

Meanwhile the Austro-German campaign against Rumania continues, to be accompanied by the delivery of a series of blows against the extreme left flank of the southwestern front. From Dobruja to the Rumanian coast, the Austro-Germans are attempting to pierce the Russian line in order to isolate Rumania and prevent the further passage of Russian troops to the assistance of Rumania. The Russians, it is said here, have been able to check the offensive at all points on this sector.

that sensational rumors were current regarding the relations between Norway and Germany. German submarines were declared to be waging a persistent war on German shipping and one account stated that five German submarines had established a regular blockade of the Norwegian coast.

HANFORD AUTOIST KILLED IN SMASH

(Special to the Republican.)
HANFORD, Oct. 25.—W. M. Hefton, proprietor of the Hanford Garage, was instantly killed about midnight tonight when the automobile he was driving collided with a Southern Pacific freight train at the state highway crossing.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Hefton, who were in the machine, were seriously injured. Barnard, a Southern Pacific agent here,

RUSSIAN CASUALTIES REPORTED VERY HEAVY

BERLIN, by wireless to Sayville, Oct. 25.—There have been 1,532 casualties in the Russian army since June 1, according to the latest reports made public by the Central identification office at Kiev, says an Overseas News Agency statement today.

"Included in this number," continues the statement, "are 55,581 officers and soldiers who have recently fallen are two generals, six colonels in command of brigades, and eight colonels, and lieutenant colonels in command of regiments. The largest number of casualties was among the Siberian corps and the Caucasian cavalry."

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EUROPE CHECKS WILD ADVANCE IN WHEAT PRICE

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of commerce throughout the state to join the Master Bakers' Association in a demand on Congress that an embargo be imposed forbidding the export of wheat.

Flour \$10 in Chicago
CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—The wholesale price of high grade family flour was advanced to \$10 a barrel today, the highest price since the Civil War. This is an increase of 30 cents within the last two days.

\$11 in West Virginia
CHARLESTON, W. Va., Oct. 25.—Flour is being sold here at \$11 a barrel, the highest price asked since a short time after the Civil War. An advance of 50 cents was announced this week.

20 Cent Advance in North
PORTLAND, Ore., Oct. 25.—Another advance of 20 cents a barrel for the wholesale price of flour was recorded here today. Patents was quoted at \$5 per barrel. The retail price is \$5.40.

Chop Suey Goes Up
CHICAGO, Oct. 25.—Even the price of chop suey has gone up. Dishes which sold for 25 cents have been advanced to 35 cents, owners of Oriental restaurants announced today. Smaller portions of food also will be served.

Jump 40 Cents Here
The retail price of flour advanced 40 cents a barrel here yesterday, making the price \$2.40 a sack. This is said by local dealers to be the highest price ever paid, even higher than at the time of the Civil War.

In keeping with the rise in the Chicago price, wheat also rose yesterday 15 cents a hundredweight. The new retail price is \$2.50 a hundredweight, \$50 a ton.

GERMANS ENDEAVOR TO PUT IRON RING ROUND RUMANIANS

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The official statement reporting operations in Macedonia says: "Army of the east. There was an intermittent campaign on the entire front. There was no infantry action except in the center."

"German counter attacks at Mladkovo (on the east bank of the Vardar River) were smashed by our fire."

"Two enemy airplanes were forced down damaged after fights with our pilots in the region of Gorizia and Trieste. In southern Albania, Cavalry of the Saloniki army is in touch with Italian cavalry detachments from Arona (on the Adriatic sea)."

Italian forces occupied the Albanian seaport of Avlona before Italy entered the war against Austria. No further operations of consequence were undertaken by the Italians for some time but by the last few months there have been occasional reports that reinforcements were being sent to Albania and that Italian detachments were pushing their way eastward. Southern Albania is regarded by Greece as within its sphere of influence and towns within this region have been under control of Greek officers. The Greek representatives were required to withdraw from the towns taken over by the Italians.

There has been no accurate information heretofore as to the extent of the Italian advance but it is evident from today's French announcement that this movement, as well as the extension southwest of the Macedonian front has been carried forward more rapidly than previous advances had indicated. The Entente Allies now have an unbroken front across the Balkan peninsula from the Aegean sea at the mouth of the Struma River, to the Adriatic at Avlona, a distance of 250 miles.

U. S. GOVERNMENT SUED FOR DAMAGES

BOSTON, Oct. 25.—Suit for \$127,000 damages was filed in the Federal Court today against the United States government by the owners of the barkentine Mabel I. Meyers, which was sunk in a collision with the battleship Nebraska off Cape Cod on July 30, 1916. A special act of Congress enables the owners of the vessel to bring suit for recovery.

HUNTER TAKES OWN LIFE
ASHLAND, Me., Oct. 25.—The hunter that Arthur Hafford, a country hunter, deliberately took his own life after he had shot himself accidentally today was expressed when his body was found. The location of the wounds indicated that the young man received the contents of the gun in the abdomen while trying to remedy some

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STATE W.C.T.U. MEETING ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Mrs. Dorr Re-elected President; Valley Women Given Offices

SAN JOSE, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Sara J. Dorr of San Jose, was re-elected state president of the W. C. T. U. at its state convention here today. Other officers elected were:

Honorary president, Mrs. Sturtevant-Riel, Piedmont; Mrs. Adie Garwood Bates, Stockton, vice president at large; first vice president, Mrs. Anna A. Pettit, Parlier; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Anna Marden de Vo, San Francisco; recording secretary, Mrs. Pauline M. Skoe, Petaluma; treasurer, Mrs. Lou A. Greis, Modesto; auditor, Miss Jennie Lind Redford, Berkeley; general branch secretary, Loyal Temperance Legion, Mrs. Louisa Cobb, Tulare.

A temperance parade in support of the prohibition amendments was the principal feature of the day.

RETURN TO WORK
PENNSYLVANIA, Pa., Oct. 25.—Many of the striking miners of the Rochester and Pittsburgh coal and coke company returned to work today when they found that the district board of the United Mine Workers of America had refused to back the strike on the ground that the demands of the men were in violation of the Philadelphia agreement. Seven of the eight local unions voted to return to work pending further investigation by the board.

SAYS MULE'S KICK IS NO ACCIDENT

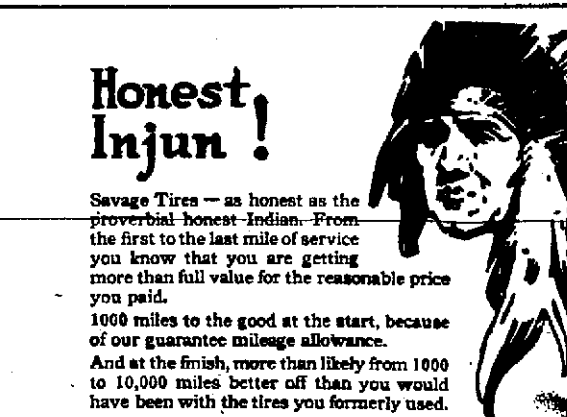
That Wells Barger, who was kicked to death by a mule when he wandered into the stable of a logging camp near Chicago Junction, died of "natural causes" is the holding of an insurance company in which Barger held an accident policy for \$1,000. A policy for that amount was found among Barger's effects and his mother transferred the policy to her attorney for collection. Suit will be instituted—From the Toledo Blade.

WHAT A TOURIST HEARD.

A tourist in Ireland came upon a couple of men "in hells" rolling on the road. The man on top was pummeling the other within an inch of his life. The traveler looked on for a moment in silence and then intervened.

"I say, it's an infernal shame to strike a man when he's down."

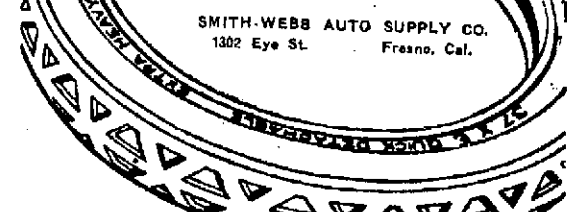
"Faith, if yez knew all the trouble I had gettin' him down yez wouldn't be talkin' like that," came the intermittent reply.—Judas.



Honest Injun!

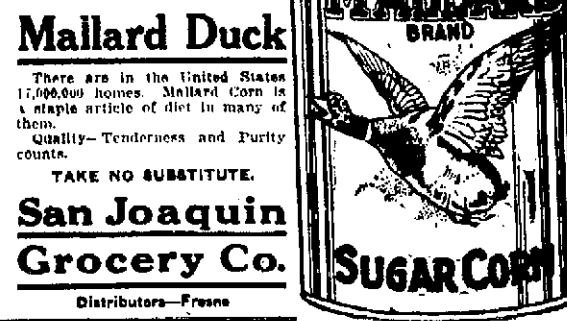
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MRS. RUSSELL UHLER IS CALLED BY DEATH

Death Ends Suffering of
Wife of Buyer for
County

Death ended the suffering yesterday afternoon of Mrs. Emily Jane Uhler, wife of Russell Uhler, county purchasing agent after a lengthy illness. Mrs. Uhler was a sufferer with heart trouble for years. She was 38 years old, and is survived by her husband and two children, Harry Uhler, 13 years old, and Morris Uhler, 10 years, and two brothers, Anna Robinson of Fresno and T. W. Robinson of Wyoming.

Funeral services will be held tomorrow afternoon from the parlors of Stephens & Bean.

Uhler brought his wife to Fresno county about ten years ago for her health. The family came from Belleville, Mo., where Uhler was for some years engaged in the cattle business. The family home in Fresno was at 2231 Washington avenue.

Uhler is chairman of the Fresno County Democratic Central Committee and well known politically.

How to Keep Well, Talks on Health

By DR. W. A. EVANS
Professor of Hygiene in Northwestern University and Former Health
Commissioner of Chicago

SPREADING HEALTH.

In the month of June, 1916, there were 31,501 persons on the payroll of the Panama canal commission. These were all in the prime of life. While many of these were white people from the United States, the great majority were negroes from the West Indies.

The report for June contains the following significant statements: "The last case of smallpox contracted on the isthmus was in 1887." This statement applies to the population of Panama City and Colon as well as the employees of the Canal Zone, nearly 120,000 people. There is no city of 120,000 in the United States concerning which the same statement can be made.

If we can absolutely protect the people on the isthmus why do we not protect our own people? The people on the isthmus are all vaccinated. This cannot be said of any city in the union.

"The last case of yellow fever contracted on the isthmus was in November, 1905." It is not that yellow fever and smallpox are not brought to the Canal Zone. In 1915 both yellow fever and smallpox were brought to canal ports but proper precautions prevented spreading.

"The last case of bubonic plague contracted on the isthmus occurred in 1905."

The authorities set out to wipe out these diseases. The statements cited show that they have accomplished what they set out to do. The authorities set out to hold a certain group of diseases as low as possible, recognizing the impossibility at the time of wiping them out. One of the diseases of this group was typhoid fever.

There were no admissions for typhoid fever during the month of June and none during the previous month. How many cities in the union with an adult population of 31,000 could make the same statement? In Panama City during the month one case of typhoid was reported; in Colon, none. Or one case of typhoid in June in a population of more than a hundred thousand.

In the table of causes of death three deaths from typhoid are registered. This table shows the deaths among employees and non-employees and the civil and military population. What city of 120,000 in the union can show so low a typhoid rate?

If cleanliness will give these results in Panama it will do even better in the States.

Another of the diseases in this second group is malaria. The malaria rate in 1915 was not one-tenth what it was in 1905. And yet we read: "The total admission rate for malaria, hospitals and quarters was 23.61, as compared with 21.61 in June, 1915. The number of cases reported among employees was 53. The number of deaths among all the population in the zone—military, civil, employees and non-employees, during June, from malaria, was five." How many southern counties with a population of 120,000 have so low a malaria rate? How many rural districts in the south are there where labor is as little incapacitated by malaria as in the Canal Zone?

FIRST AID SUPPLIES FOR AN OUTING BAG.

E. D. B. writes: "About a year ago you printed the inclosure. May I suggest that you reprint it with brief suggestions for the use of certain articles mentioned—e. g.: oil of cloves and laudanum."

1—Absorbent cotton.

2—Roll of old muslin. Roll of soft flannel.

3—One or two rolls of bandage, 2-1/2 inches wide, 4 yards long.

4—Rubber adhesive plaster. Court plaster.

5—One pair sharp scissors.

6—Pins (ordinary and safety).

7—Needles and some stout thread.

8—Vaseline or camelline.

9—Aromatic spirits of ammonia, 2 ounces, (to be used as a stimulant in place of whiskey. Fainting, shock, griping pains. Dose, 15 to 50 drops.)

10—Castor oil, 2 ounces.

11—Oil of cloves, 1 drachm. (A drop or two on a piece of cotton to be used for toothache.)

12—Laudanum or paregoric. (Dose of the former, 15 to 20 drops. Of the latter, 15 to 20 drops.)

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NEW OLIVE WAREHOUSE AT LINDSAY FINISHED

Plan to Extend Operations
to Accommodate All
Growers of District

With the idea in view of eventually constructing a plant that will be able to accommodate the entire olive output of the Lindsay district, a \$10,000 olive processing warehouse has just been completed at Lindsay by the Lindsay Olive Packing company. The present capacity of this plant is about 150 tons per season, but it is planned to extend operations until the total olive crop of this section, in all about 1000 tons, can be handled at Lindsay. This plant is the first of its sort in the Sacramento Valley.

Hitherto olive growers have had to send their olives to Los Angeles or Sacramento to be processed. The new plant will operate on a co-operative basis. At present there is a tankage capacity of 40 tons in the plant, as the olives remain in process about three weeks, it is believed that from 125 to 150 tons can be handled during the season.

A. M. Drew of this city is secretary of the company that has constructed the warehouse. Drew has extensive interests in the Lindsay district. R. M. Carr of Lindsay is president of the company and L. H. Emory of Lindsay is resident manager of the warehouse.

latter, 1 teaspoonful. For diarrhoea, griping pains and pain in general) 3 ounces—bicarbonate of soda, 2 ounces. (To be applied locally for burns, sunburn, stings and bites. Used in solution or dry.) Used internally for indigestion, if necessary. Dose, 20 to 30 grains.

—Tincture of iodine. (Used on all cuts and wounds to sterilize.)

PHRENOLOGY.
E. L. M. writes: "Is there any scientific basis for phrenology? 2. Is there any scientific basis for diagnosis from the iris? 3. Does the medical profession consider it proper to treat disease by attempting to suppress the symptoms—as in the case of inflammation? 4. After an operation removing diseased tonsils, what becomes of the bodily poisons which nature seems to have intended that the tonsils should eliminate?"

REPLY.
A and 2—No.
3—The answer is both yes and no. Sometimes both yes and sometimes, no. Some medical practitioners more yes and less, no. In other words it is a matter regarding which it is impossible to generalize.

NEEDS EXPERT HANDLING.
Y. T. writes: "A short while ago I read in your column about thyroid tablets for making one grow. I am 20 years of age and am 5 feet 2 inches in height. I feel that it is an awful handicap to be so short, as my brother is a six-footer. Kindly advise me if pituitin or thyroid tablets are good stimulants for growth, and, if so, how should I take either?"

REPLY.
It is probable that you inherited your stockiness from some ancestor just as your brother inherited his height from some other ancestor. It is not probable that the use of any ductless gland would stimulate you to grow to be six feet or anywhere nearer. However, if you want to try it put yourself in the hands of a competent physician. Preparations of ductless glands are too powerful for both good and harm to be taken except under medical direction.

REPUBLICAN RALLY AT EXETER SATURDAY

Frank Short and Los Angeles
to Speak
for Hughes

A big Republican rally will be held Saturday night in Exeter, at which Frank H. Short and Ross Avery of Los Angeles will be the principal speakers. The meeting will be held under the auspices of the Hughes Alliance Club and it is predicted that it will be the biggest and most enthusiastic G. O. P. rally that has ever been held in Exeter. The officers of the Hughes Alliance Club are: George E. Waddell, chairman; A. W. Quinn, vice-chairman; C. F. Balaam, secretary, and F. W. Mixer, treasurer. A band concert will be held Saturday night previous to the rally.

meeting and an automobile parade will also take place. Avery, who will speak in favor of the election of Charles Evans Hughes, is state chairman of the Hughes Alliance Clubs.

Y. M. C. A. DELEGATES TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

Leave Today for Oroville
to Attend Older Boys'
Meeting There

Seventeen delegates from the Fresno Y. M. C. A. will leave today for Oroville to attend the ninth annual Older Boys' Conference of the Northern Section of California, which will be in session the last three days of this week. The boys of the local conference, who raised the funds necessary to pay the traveling expenses of the delegates by canvassing the city for old papers and magazines, which were mailed and sold to paper mills, in all about eight tons of paper were gathered, and \$75 was realized by the club.

Mark Kellogg, one of the young delegates from Fresno, will have a place on the program of events. He is to speak tomorrow evening on "Red Cross." L. T. Lewis, secretary of boys' work at the local association, will be in charge of the local delegation. The local delegates are: Charles Harlett, Mark Kellogg, Grant Hammond, Thurman Arnold, Sydney Carline, Homer Hatfield, Russell Neptune, Walter Dresser, Carl Ellithorpe, Conrad Warner, Harold Perry, Horace Crowder, Ernest Preston, Jesse Reeder, Herbert Huebner, King Young. The boys will attend all the sessions returning Monday.

OPIUM FOUND IN G STREET STORE

Agents of the United States government yesterday arrested Louis Yu, proprietor of a grocery store at 331 G street, and charged him with possessing opium in violation of the law. Internal Revenue Collector L. J. Stephenson, assisted by Deputies M. M. Ladd, F. W. French, G. H. Butterfield and J. W. Smith raided the store yesterday morning. They say they found two five-ounce tins of opium. The Chinese was taken to jail and subsequently released on \$500 bail.

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Modesto								
Oakdale	12:05	4:05	8:05	11:25	4:20			
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San Diego					3:10			9:20
San Francisco	12:05	4:05	8:05	11:25	4:20			
Stockton	12:05	4:05	8:05	11:25	2:00	3:10	7:30	9:20
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Visalia	8:00	6:45	8:55					
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Orpheum bill at the White theater again tonight. "That is not the truth. By nine years of practice, working

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Kajiya has the Japanese ingratiating manner and is somewhat of a comedian to boot. Yauvelin was a surprise to him. Kajiya went to America as a student; and nine or ten months ago he was in a college of mechanical engineering in Washington, D. C. Then he went to New York and was doing some work in a business college when a vaudeville person heard of the young Jap who could write different things with both hands, and the next thing he knew he was on the stage.

At first, it was just to get money to complete his education, then he made a three-year contract, and at the end of the three years, Kajiya went to Europe and studied with a view to develop still further the powers of what he calls his "divided brain"—his ability to think and write different things at the same time.

Meanwhile, many American psychologists have become interested in him, notably Orison, Swart Marden and the editor of the Success Magazine who has had some articles on the subject. Others on the bill that ends tonight are Miss Charlie Vincent in "The Reckless," Lunette Sisters, Iron Jaw act; Piolet & Scollard, juggling comedy; Morin Sisters, clever dancers; Naud Kesser, singer; Walter Brover, comedian.

Daughter of the Don

Presenting for the first time a correct visualization of the romantic and historic period of 1848 and 1849—when a wealth of history was in the making in the Southwest—"The Daughter of the Don," the ten reel historic photodrama of early California, produced by the Monrovia Feature Film Co., will be presented for the first time at the White theater for three nights and Saturday and Sunday matinees, beginning Oct. 27. Picturesque Los Angeles and California were the setting for which the great Golden State was made and the story of its making is one of the most absorbing historical romances ever written. The time of which the pictureization treats—that of the Mexican war period—offers many a thrill and climax, although the pic-

turization is in no sense a spectacle. Veracity has been the keynote in its construction and historical happenings are photographed with chronological correctness. "The Daughter of the Don" is California's own story. Fremont, Stockton and Kearney as well as Kit Carson loomed large in the nation's history and the parts they played in freeing California from Mexican domination will be faithfully depicted on the screen in this marvelously beautiful production, the photography of which may only be correctly described by the use of superlatives.

The old Los Angeles Plaza, the Fort Hill Stockade, bits of quaint Santa Barbara and Monterey have been resurrected in order that the action of the photodrama shall be as correct as was possible to make it. Battles were fought in and about Los Angeles plaza and at San Gabriel where Pico and Flores were decisively defeated. Thousands of men were employed in the filming of these scenes that should be seen by every resident of California who has interest in the country in which he lives. A charming and romantically told love story weaves the ten reels into a production of perfect continuity.

"Intolerance" Coming

The attraction of the White theater next Monday night will be D. W. Griffith's latest masterpiece, "Intolerance," or "The Mother and the Law." During this engagement every seat will be reserved and judging from the popularity of the only other big spectacle made by Griffith, "The Clansman," (The Birth of a Nation), it is reasonable to assume that the advance sale will be the largest ever known in the theaters of this city. To say that "Intolerance" far surpasses Mr. Griffith's former masterpiece is but to repeat the unanimous opinion of the press in the east, in San Francisco and in Los Angeles, where it is now being shown to capacity audiences. Certainly as a spectacle it is without exception the most marvelous production of stage or screen. In it Mr. Griffith has traced the universal theme through various periods of the world's history, ancient, sacred, Medieval and modern times being utilized. The scenes of the four distinct stories follow one another in rapid succession. There is no attempt at historical sequence, but the events are shown as they might flash across the mind in an effort to parallel the life of the different ages. "Intolerance" shows that through all the ages, the same passions, the same joys, and the same sorrows have obtained, and Mr. Griffith symbolizes them by the cradle, endlessly rocking. Through it all the events shown are caused by the intolerance of man.

"Canary Cottage"

Better than "So Long Lally" is the report preceding Oliver Moroson's latest musical production, which has been a wonderful success, wherever it has been shown, and which comes to the White theater next week, Friday and Saturday nights, also Saturday matinee, November 3 and 4. It is called "Canary Cottage," and is described as being a comedy with music wherein the comedy brings out a constant succession of laughs and where the music (there are twenty numbers) is particularly tuneful. The book of "Canary Cottage" has been written by Oliver Moroson and Elmer Harris and the lyrics and music have been supplied by Earl Carroll. Mr. Carroll's music is said to be colorful, tuneful and masterly, and the book by Moroson and Harris is said to be filled with bright lines, sparkling wit, with just naughtiness enough to make the whole extremely delectable. The story of the comedy has to do with a house party given in the California foothills that is reported to be exceedingly entertaining and very, very humorous.

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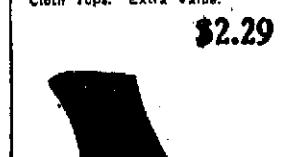
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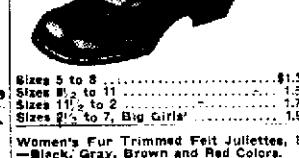
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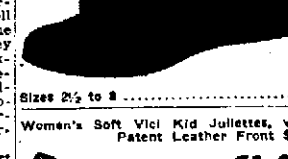
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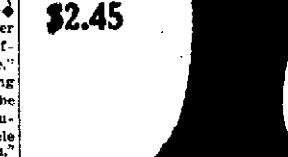
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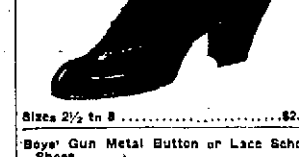
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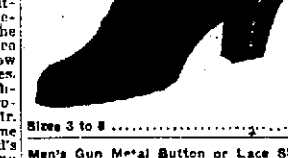
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Metropolitan vaudeville scored a distinct triumph at the Theater Fresno last week, when for two nights it was impossible to accommodate the crowds that sought admission.

The program was above reproach and the success of popular piece vaudeville for Friday, Saturday and Sunday, under the most favorable circumstances was fully established.

Another vaudeville show comes to the Fresno street playhouse this Friday evening for a three-day run, and because of the unusual merit contained in the five feature acts to be presented Manager Lessee predicts three record breaking houses, at least.

One of the biggest drawing cards on this week's program, and a feature that has always been sought by theatrical managers because of their effect on the box office statements, is the act of the five Alcorans which recently caused a small riot at the Empress theater in San Francisco.

The five Alcorans are Spanish soloists, dancers and instrumentalists and give a most artistic interpretation of the musical gems of Old Spain. There is another highly pleasing act coming on this week's program, which is the presentation of the laughable comedy skit, "Hank the Duke," by Woodward and Morrissey.

The new show also includes those inevitable midgets of comedy, the Miniature Duo. These are real talented dwarfs whose comedy antics are said to be uproariously funny. The Miniature Duo has an entirely original act to present in Fresno; one that was built especially for the talents of these folk.

The "Bill" also includes Jack Gilbert, acrobatic dancer and barrel jumper, and another feature act which has not been announced as yet.

The booking agents have promised a thriller however, for this unannounced number, and Fresno theatergoers can look forward to a show of real merit.

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MARY MILES MINTER WINS HOSTS OF ADMIRERS



Mary Miles Minter in a Scene from "Youth's Endearing Charm"—Fresno Photo-Theater

Mary Miles Minter's first appearance in Fresno won hosts of admirers in "Youth's Endearing Charm," yesterday at the Fresno Photo Theatre. The winsome and very youthful Mary is so pretty and so appealing in the picture that many say she even outshines Mary Pickford. The play, whose story was written by Mabel Helges Justice, contains many incidents which are full of opportunities for Miss Minter.

James Kirkwood is Director. James Kirkwood, who produced the greatest Mary Pickford successes, and all his undoubted skill and ability are behind the Minter productions.

The supporting cast of excellent players is headed by Wallace MacDonald as Harry Disbrow, a wealthy man's son. In appearance he is well-fitted to play the role in this story. Margaret Nicholas appears as a society girl, Mary's rival, Harry Von Meter, Gertrude Le Brant, Alfred Ferguson, Bessie Banks and Harvey Clark. In the character roles, are very good, Mary's pet dog Zippy is also an important member of the cast.

The story Mary Wade is taken from an orphan asylum by a hard-hearted farm-

er and his wife. She enjoys many of the incidents of the farm life, but is so harshly treated by her employers that she runs away. She earns her way into the city by caring for an unusually baby on the train. In the city she imitates a blind beggar, whom she notices at the station, and with an "I Am Blind" sign and tin cup begs from the passersby, an amusing incident. As a result of the trick, she lands in jail. There she meets the hero, Harry, arrested for drunkenness. He assumes responsibility for the girl and takes her to his home, where she becomes a servant. Harry falls in love with her, although he is engaged to marry the daughter of his father's partner.

The engagement of the young people is broken, and the little orphan Mary, who has won the hearts of the parents as well as the son, becomes Harry's bride, but not before she has gone back to the orphan asylum, where she is found by Harry and his father, and where a touching reconciliation forms the last scene which fades away.

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PROHIBITION AND THE RAISIN GROWER

BY JAMES MADISON

FRESNO, Cal., Oct. 20, 1916

There is no use beating around the bush on these two prohibition amendments.

The raisin industry is in as perilous position as the wine grapes.

There is no use trying to deceive ourselves into believing these two prohibition amendments are "moral" issues, as the prohibitionist would have us understand them. Our understanding fails us there.

They ARE moral, and desperately so insofar as they will legislate food from the mouths of tens of thousands of people in this state.

They ARE moral insofar as they will snatch tens of millions in property away from rightful owners.

And in those respects I do not believe robbery BY LAW is any more justifiable than by a burglar.

Arson is the willful destruction of property by fire. Every prohibitionist upholds the laws against the crime of arson. And the only difference between arson and prohibition is that the former destroys by match, the latter BY LAW.

The moral side of it then is against prohibition, not for it.

These two prohibition amendments, 1 and 2, therefore, constitute the greatest economic, social and political question ever voted on by the people of California.

Amendment 2 is as dangerous as Amendment 1, for it is an indirect, concealed thrust at the wine industry. The prohibitionist's one consoling hope is that by passing Amendment 2, then two years hence they will throw the state, its industries and business into another bitter fight in an effort to pass TOTAL prohibition.

The people of this state and community should remember at all times that any adverse legislation, like that found in prohibition amendments 1 and 2, which affects the wine industry and wine grapes will have a very material and damaging effect on the raisin industry.

We hear silly talk about making grape juice of these wine grapes. Why, the grape juice now sold in California is made by the Armours and Welch, in Chicago and New York. It is manufactured from an eastern grape far superior to our own for grape juice purposes.

California grapes are not suitable for manufacturing into that beverage and cannot compete with the eastern varieties. Those facts alone close the argument.

It is absurd and a direct contradiction of the truth to say that wiping out the wineries will have no effect on the raisin industry which it has taken years to build up.

The first of October a heavy rain fell in this district. Tons of raisin grapes lay on the trays. That rain ruined the paper trays and the crop, so far as making raisins of them was concerned. What happened?

Just this: Scores of raisin growers in this vicinity gathered up their ruined raisin crop, which under prohibition would have meant an absolute loss, and SOLD THOSE RAISIN GRAPES TO THE WINERIES.

And that is not all. This year thousands of tons of second crop and culls will find a market through the same avenues.

The year 1916 will long be remembered as a year in which the wineries came to the rescue and purchased thousands of tons which, under prohibition, would have rotted on the ground.

It is well enough for paid reformers, political aspirants and presidential candidates, traveling in \$40,000 special trains, who have no interest and nothing to lose here, to invade the San Joaquin Valley and shout in blatant tones:

"Tear up your grape vines. Destroy your \$150,000,000 worth of wineries. Throw your tens of thousands out of employment. Ruin your raisin industry. Bring poverty and desolation, mortgage foreclosures and kindred disturbances—all we give you in return is talk."

That's all very well for the professional "reformers" and paid agitators, but for us who have labored for years, fought adverse conditions, weathered through the ups and downs of poor markets and at times poor crops—that kind of conversation is poor consolation.

It is worse. It is an invasion of the sacred rights that every man with an ounce of red blood in his veins will fight to the last ditch.

It seems to me that all the "morals" contained in this so-called prohibition movement, which should be labeled "A movement to destroy and lay waste tens of millions for the sole purpose of accomplishing nothing," lie with those who, by the sweat of their brows, are steadily building up two of California's greatest industries.

Shall the work of 40 odd years be reduced to ashes? Without one cent of compensation? Is there anything MORAL or just about that?

The defeat of amendments 1 and 2 means continued prosperity in the San Joaquin Valley and the salvation of the grape industry—wine, table and raisin grapes—for all of them will be wiped out of existence or brought to ruination's brink by prohibition.

Vote NO on Prohibition Amendments Nos. 1 and 2

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TULARE DELEGATION SWELLS NUMBERS AT KERN FAIR

Caravan of 200 Boosters Go in Autos to Bakersfield Exposition

Tomorrow to Be Holiday in City; Oilfields Day; Awards Are Made

(Special to the Republican.) BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 25.—Tulare county sent a delegation of 200 boosters to Bakersfield today in an auto caravan to celebrate the Tulare County Day at the first annual Kern County Agricultural Fair. The sister county representatives say the whole fair is splendid, and that such an automobile show has never been staged outside of Los Angeles before. The Bakersfield city council has declared a holiday for tomorrow, Bakersfield Day, at the fair and all the stores in the city will close at noon. Parade of Live Stock.

The parade of prize winners in the livestock show will be a feature of the day much interest in the exhibits being shown by visitors at the fair. From all over the county, all men from all over the state will be special guests of the fair, the Bakersfield Day featuring the oil industry.

The "Trail" which comprises the amusement features of the fair, begins to be a live section of the grounds early in the evening, and band concerts and dancing both afternoon and evening keep the crowd happy.

Friday School Day. Friday which is School Day will put 7,000 school children in the big parade, a tradition from Tulare county coming early in the morning to join in the festivity. The athletic events in which all schools will compete will be included in the afternoon program.

Saturday will be automobile and Los Angeles County Day with a big automobile caravan from the southern county to swell the crowds for the last day of the county fair.

Awards were made today in the poultry show. George Wear of Shady Grove ranch taking sweepstakes for the highest and best exhibition.

Fresno Wins Prize. J. M. Hucot of Fresno, who is a state-wide exhibitor, captured many first and second. Awards were also made in the stock show.

Awards on horses judged by C. W. Majors of Los Angeles and M. Basset of Hanford were made today also. In Percherons the Lockhaven ranch at Gosford took first. Ramona ranch on three-year olds and Tanager ranch of Tulare on two and four year old stallions. Ramona ranch at Tehachas took first on three and four year old mares and the Tanager ranch on grand champion stallions.

In English shires the Ramona ranch took everything, and in grade stallions E. C. Chapman took first. This division was not completed.

On cattle, Majors was sole judge. In the Guernsey class Pete Cattani of Weed Patch took first in all entries. In the Ayrshire class, Arlington M. Smith of Visalia took first in all entries.

In the Holstein-Friesians, Tanager ranch took first on three-year old bulls. A. B. Robinson, one two-year old bull, Ramona ranch on senior yearling and Tanager ranch on junior yearling. The Tanager ranch also took first on yearling, two year old and three year old cows.

E. C. Chapman took first on all entries in grade Durham dairy and beef bull classes. In the Jersey class, A. A. Jenkins took first in three year and junior bull calf, produce of cow and the championship junior bull. N. H. Locke & Company of Lockford walked away with all other Jersey prizes including the grand championship bull of any age.

In grade Holstein, Dutch Belled class, Mrs. Jennie Strader and Olysses C. Smith of Los Angeles and Stanislaus county divided honors, other first prizes went to A. B. Robinson, Burr and

Honor Graduate Weds Young Modestian at Elaborate Ceremony



MRS. GEORGE MAZE, of Modesto, who was Miss Lena Meta Schafer before her marriage last evening.

MODESTO, Oct. 25.—Miss Lena Meta Schafer, honor graduate of the 1916 class of the University of California, and George Maze, son of Mrs. Ella Maze, a wealthy widow of Modesto, were married this evening at the Presbyterian church at one of the prettiest weddings ever witnessed here. The Rev. H. K. Pittman, pastor of the church, read the double ring ceremony in the presence of 300 friends and relatives of the couple. The bride was given in marriage by her father, George D. Schafer. Little Lois Ann Langdon, niece of the bride, and David Bunker, Jr., nephew of the bridegroom, attended the bridal procession as ring bearer and usher. There were two maidens of honor and four bridesmaids, sorority sisters of Miss Schafer at the university. Mr. Maze was attended by six ushers, classmates of his at the university. Following the wedding, a reception to the guests was given at the Schafer home on Fifteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Maze left immediately for a motor trip of two weeks, their destination not being made known. They will live in Modesto. The groom has charge of his mother's extensive ranch and real estate interests in this county.

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Y. M. C. A. MEETING TO OPEN IN VISALIA

Fully 150 Delegates Are Expected to Attend Conference Friday

VISALIA, Oct. 25.—What is expected to be the largest and most successful county conference ever held in this county by the Young Men's Christian Association opens in Visalia Friday evening and continues over Sunday. The county organization committee expects an attendance in Visalia among the older boys of over 150.

Meetings will be held morning and afternoon and the municipal auditorium will be made into a banquet room Friday evening, when "Dinner for Y. W. C. A. girls will serve a banquet."

SUGAR PRICE IS CAUSE OF BOOM

Former Tularean, Here on Visit, Says Times Are Good in Haiti and Cuba as Result of Advance

TULARE, Oct. 25.—W. F. Smith, formerly of this city, who is now connected with sugar cane plantations in the West Indies, was here today, and reports a boom in Cuba and Haiti because of the high price of sugar. He says common laborers are being paid \$5 a day. Mr. Smith has been superintending a plantation in Cuba but will return to Port au Prince, Haiti, to take charge of another plantation. He will be joined by Mrs. Smith, who is now in Boston.

PYTHIANS MEET GRAND PRELATE

SONORA, Oct. 25.—G. P. Cummings of Fresno, grand prelate of the Knights of Pythias, accompanied by R. A. Piegard, motored to Sonora Monday, where they visited Union Lodge No. 163, K. of P. Visitors from all parts of the county were present at the interesting meeting. A banquet was served later in the evening. Tuesday the conference went to Angels, Wednesday to Chinese. Tomorrow they will visit Canterville and Friday at Taftville City.

Jewett.

First prizes for swine went to A. C. Wallace, the Tanager ranch, N. H. Locke & Company, Lockford ranch, Burr and Jewett, J. A. Paulk, and Arlington M. Smith. Championship awards went to A. M. Smith also.

Tomorrow is Oil Day and big delegations are expected to reach the city tonight and early tomorrow for the celebration. Although the fair is pretty much given over to the merchants and farmers' exhibits there is keen interest in it among the oil men. The automobile display has big interest for the operators who will have opportunity to see some 25 different makes on exhibition.

The program for the day includes trotting and running races for which one thousand dollars in purses is offered.

Parade of Prize Winners. The parade of the prize winners at the livestock show will also be held tomorrow. The judging was done today by Judge J. W. Majors of Los Angeles. Among the stock were some prize fine Belgian and Norman horses and scores of fine dairy and beef cattle from Kern, Tulare and Kings counties. The Tanager ranch has a very large exhibit of Jerseys and won many prizes.

The Lockhaven ranch at Gosford, Kern county, also has a very wonderful showing. A large number of pens of thoroughbred swine from Hanford.

Friday is School Day and County were also judged and were among the prize winners.

Superintendent L. E. Chenoweth will be chairman of the day. It is planned to have a parade of all the children and it is expected 5,000 of the same enrolled will be in line. School athletic events will be held under the direction of James H. Parker, assistant city superintendent of schools.

The Fresno Republican booth in the industrial pavilion is in charge of M. S. Hutchison, circulation manager, and a large number of visitors call there daily.

The petitions calling upon the board of supervisors to provide plans for purchasing the fair grounds for the county are being liberally signed.

The fair is a high class exhibition and is pleasing the multitudes that are attending. It is the county's first pretentious effort to display its products before the home people, and it is generally voted to be a big success.

Prominent Pioneer Woman of Fowler Is Summoned by Death



MRS. ANTOINETTE PELHAM HARRIS, mother of Howard A. Harris, editor of Fowler Ensign.

FOWLDER, Oct. 25.—Mrs. Antoinette Pelham Harris, a widely known and beloved pioneer resident of Fresno county, died at the home of her son, Howard A. Harris, in Fowler this afternoon at 1:30 o'clock, following a lingering illness incident to her advanced years, she having celebrated her 75th birthday last week. Surviving her are a brother and two sisters in the east, and two sons and their families here. Details regarding the funeral services will appear later.

Antoinette Pelham was born in Michigan, October 18, 1841, being one of a family of five children, three of whom survive her—Dr. A. Pelham, of Plymouth, Mich., aged 55 years; Mrs. Susie P. Gowdy, of Colwater, Mich., aged 53 years, and Mrs. Ella Lambdon, of Atlanta, Ga., aged 75 years.

Previous to her marriage to Amos Harris, at Jackson, Mich., in 1859, Mrs. Harris taught school in her native state; also later in Kansas, she having been a graduate of the Normal School of Ann Arbor, Mich. After her marriage the family home was made in Michigan, Iowa, New York and Kansas, then transferred to California in 1877.

From Stanislaus county Mr. and Mrs. Harris and their children came to Fresno thirty-five years ago, buying and improving the ranch southeast of the present Fowler township, and with the exception of about one year, residing continuously thereon until the death of Mr. Harris, five years ago, soon after which Mrs. Harris became a member of her son's household in Fowler.

The hospitality of the Harris ranch home is remembered by hundreds of people who in the years gone by have been welcome guests therein. Mrs. Harris was an prime factor in all movements for community benefit, and was filled with the right kind of community spirit. A charter member of the Fowler Improvement Association, the presidency of which she filled for two terms; vitally interested in the gaining of a public library, a very active member of the W. C. T. U.; encouraging the organization of Parent-Teacher associations in Fowler grammar and high school districts and those school districts surrounding Fowler.

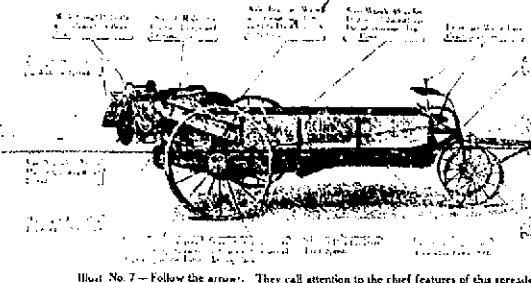
Mrs. Harris was the mother of four children, of whom one daughter died in infancy; another, Mrs. Edward Bruce of New York, died in recent years, leaving but the two sons, Frank Harris of the Waverly ranch, near Sanger, and Howard A. Harris of Fowler, to feel the keenness of separation. Mrs. Frank Harris and her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Henderson, and Howard Harris' only son, Avery, are the other surviving members of the immediate family circle.

MADERA LIBRARY IS BURGLARIZED

MADERA, Oct. 25.—The Madera library was broken into last night and \$5 in gold and a small amount of silver stolen. A clue to the robber is believed to have been found in the visit of a Mr. Stafford of Fresno to this city today, when he recognized a man who had robbed him in Fresno a short time ago. Marshal Barnett has asked the Fresno police to be on the lookout for the man, of whom a good description has been obtained.

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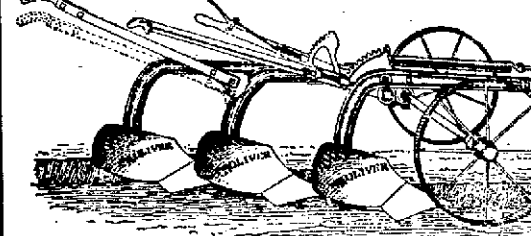
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PIONEER ABSTRACTOR RETIRES AT MODESTO

Southerners Acquire Business of Geo. Perley, Who Started in 1879

MODESTO, Oct. 25.—George Perley, owner of the Stanislaus Land and Abstract Company, which he founded in 1879, and has since continuously managed, and also owner of the Modesto Title Abstract Company which he purchased ten days ago of E. C. Hastings, sold today both business interests to southern California capitalists represented by J. W. Fessel and J. P. Gibson of Visalia, the latter vice president of the National Bank of Visalia. The consideration is understood to have been \$25,000. The transfer will take place November 1.

BEGIN ARGUMENT IN WHITNEY CASE

MODESTO, Oct. 25.—Arguments were begun today in the trial of George Whitney, on a statutory charge, preferred by his 18-year-old foster daughter, Lea Whitney. The case will probably go to the jury tomorrow. Rev. A. A. Holmes, who was summoned as a witness by the defense, was not placed on the stand.

KINGSBURG NOTES

KINGSBURG, Oct. 25.—Mrs. E. H. Duval, wife of Prof. E. H. Duval, has returned home from Santa Barbara, where she has been attending the Eastern Star lodge and a representative of the local chapter.

Guest Forsblad, who was injured at the Grangers' Camper last week, is recovering from the spinal injury.

Rev. O. C. Williams has returned home, after spending a few days at the Methodist conference in Fresno.

Al Nelson, Oscar Brown, Lewis Anderson, Dick Morey, Clarence Clark, L. Lindquist and A. Anderson and son returned from a beating trip near Firebaugh. They reported a successful hunt and brought back some ducks.

Walter Thomas Mills, Socialist candidate for United States senator, spoke last night in the National hall to a packed house, and dwelt for two hours on the issues from a Socialist viewpoint.

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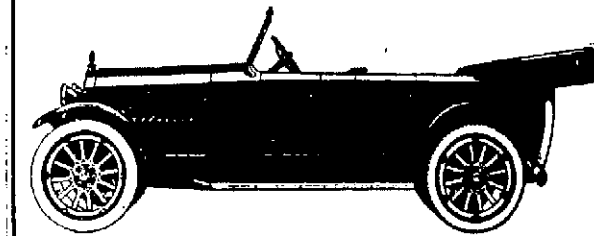
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Central California News

DEPOT HEARING FOR MERCED IS CALLED

Commission to Act on Application for New Station From Santa Fe

MERCED, Oct. 25.—Municipal officials today received notification from the Santa Fe Railroad Commission that the hearing on the complaint of the City Planning Commission seeking to enjoin the Santa Fe railroad system from duplicating their former depot here, and building a new one, will be held on Monday at 10 o'clock in the morning of that day.

DELANO BREVITIES

DELANO, Oct. 25.—C. W. Kline was in Hattiesburg Sunday night attending the ceremonial installation of Hattiesburg Bureaucracy by Al Malukah Temple of Los Angeles.

Harry Henshaw and wife arrived on Sunday from Los Angeles and are staying on K street. They are busy getting their new store ready for the opening next week.

Six members of the Delano Woman's club attended the religious service given by the Woman's club of Hattiesburg on Monday afternoon and report a splendid time.

Those attending were Mrs. H. I. Howland, Mrs. C. A. Shaw, Mrs. H. W. Kent, Mrs. G. W. Scott, Mrs. E. H. Hamany, and Mrs. Lynn Robb. Mrs. Walter Magorin from the McFarland club also made one of the party.

Stephen J. Henslow returned on Tuesday from Porterville where he has been for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Perkins of Porterville were guests of Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Schroeder over Saturday and Sunday.

The high school students are decorating automobiles for the parade of school children in Hattiesburg on Friday, that being the school day at the County Fair.

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HANFORD, Oct. 25.—Determined that "A Night in Bohemia," the musical comedy that the Elks will produce here on Thursday and Friday evenings shall be a perfect one, the Elks are rehearsing the piece, and are spending considerable time with members of the cast rehearsing in the opera house.

One hundred people will take part in the production either as principals, soloists, musicians or in the chorus, the talent being entirely local.

John Beck is the leading man, with Miss M. White as leading woman. They are supported by George W. Armistead, Harry Kimball, Rolfe Newport, Ray Newport and Earl Schnessner.

Special numbers will be sung by Harry Bullard, Arthur Hird, supported by a chorus. Mitch Landis, Miss Kate Campbell, Dr. J. A. Crawshaw, Senator J. L. C. Irwin, Dr. J. H. Cooper and O. T. Clow. These singers will all be supported by a chorus of sixty members.

The cast of characters is as follows: John E. Peck, Edmund Keene, Margaret White, Harry Nobles, Ray Newport, Tommy Jiggs, George W. Armistead, Officer Callahan, Earl Schnessner, Charles Frohman, Dr. J. A. Crawshaw, Martin de Coudert, Arthur Hird, Count de Humbago, Harry Bullard, Soloist, Senator J. L. C. Irwin, The Good Fairy Queen, Rufus K. Love, Producer, Mrs. R. K. Love, Assistant to Producer.

Births, Deaths and Marriages in the San Joaquin Valley

BORN
BULEY—At Modesto, October 24, 1916, to the wife of A. L. Buley, a daughter.

NINKOVICH—In Zante, October 20, 1916, to the wife of Vido Ninkovich, a daughter.

PURDY—In Stratmore, October 22, 1916, to the wife of Floyd Purdy, a daughter.

TARR—In Hanford, October 25, 1916, to the wife of C. H. Tarr, a son.

JONES—In Coarse Gold, October 24, 1916, to the wife of David Jones, a son.

DIED
LANDER—At Modesto, October 24, 1916, Charles Lander, 20, son of Mrs. Lander, native of Tennessee.

MONROE—Near Lemoore, October 24, 1916, Monroe F. Drost, aged 37 years, native of Missouri.

SOLZA—Near Lemoore, October 24, 1916, Josephine E. Solza, infant daughter of Mrs. Belle Solza, aged 10 months.

LICENSED TO WED
MANNING—At Modesto, Arthur V. Manning, 24, Turlock, and Ida Ethel Jett, 24, Los Angeles.

TURLEY—At Modesto, William H. Turley, of Richmond, 31, and Bernice A. Cox, 16, of Sutter.

MAZE—SCHAFER—At Modesto, Charles George Maze, 23, and Lena Meta Schaffer, 22, both of Modesto.

SILVA—SILVA—At Modesto, Eugenio F. Silva, 23, and Leonilda Silva, 19, both of Newman.

EXETER BREVITIES
EXETER, Oct. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Clay Hutchison and family of San Francisco arrived in Exeter yesterday and will spend a few weeks with friends and relatives here.

Mrs. John Hall attended the funeral of Captain White in Porterville Wednesday.

Mrs. A. W. Quinn is leaving this week for Los Angeles, where she will visit friends for a week or ten days.

Misses Fern McLeod, Louise Tanton, Mrs. McLeod and Mrs. Howard Mills were recent Fresno visitors.

Mrs. R. C. Merryman was a Fresno visitor the past week.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Mrs. Wm. Calcutt Friday afternoon, and the Halloween anniversary will be celebrated with ceremony. A full meeting is expected.

Halloween will be celebrated by the ladies of the Baptist Aid Society at the home of Mrs. S. C. Ketch on Friday afternoon. The ladies of the South Union are the hostesses and a merry time is expected.

EASTERN JOTTINGS
EASTON, Oct. 25.—The Ladies Aid of the Methodist church is planning a bazaar to be held in the church on Tuesday, October 31. Refreshments will be served all afternoon and evening.

The Teachers' Association of Washington Union high school district will hold its next meeting on Thursday, October 2, in the Easton hall. Committees have been appointed and the work of the year is well under way.

E. C. Snyder of the high school faculty has charge of the program for the coming year.

A. J. King of Partier spent the week-end with friends here.

The Danish Lutheran church is being improved by the addition of a new brick foundation wall.

TO ENFORCE SANITARY LAWS
PORTERVILLE, Oct. 25.—The newly appointed board of health met last evening for organization and selected Dr. C. C. Higgins president and Mrs. Charles O. Preme secretary. At the conclusion of the meeting Dr. Higgins issued a statement in which he declared that it is the intention of the health board to enforce all sanitation regulations in a most drastic manner. Unsanitary places will be cleaned up, and the expense assessed against the property owner, when those notified fail to take proper measures.

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 25.—A proposition to vote bonds of \$175,000 for the purchase of the present water system in East Bakersfield or to install a municipal water plant was decisively defeated by a vote of more than two to one yesterday.

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Can be removed with three to six applications of South's Dandruff Pomade. Price 50c, at druggists everywhere. Sample free at Smith Bros. Drug store.

ROADS BOOSTERS IN STANISLAUS ACTIVE
Whirlwind Campaign to Be Held Next Week by C. F. Stern and Others

MODesto, Oct. 25.—Good roads boosters are meeting with every encouragement. F. A. Cressley, Jr., and Edgar H. Annear, county engineer, have addressed several audiences on the West side and report that sentiment in Patterson, Newman and Crows Landing indicate that those communities will be in line for voting bonds.

Meetings for the next few days are scheduled as follows: Tuesday, Oct. 25, Thursday, Sylvan Club; Friday, Oct. 26, Monday, Waterford; Tuesday, Oct. 27, Wednesday, Hingham.

Friday and Saturday of next week will be devoted to a whirlwind campaign, when Highway Commissioners Charles F. Stern will spend two days in the county, speaking several times each day in behalf of the county bonds. Ben Blaw of Sacramento county has been in charge of the good roads boosting in the county.

DEATH SUMMONS
TURLOCK WOMAN
TURLOCK, Oct. 25.—The funeral of Mrs. Carrie L. Erickson, who died Monday, Oct. 23, today from the result of an attack of pneumonia, will be held in the funeral home of J. H. Erickson, 1001 Broadway, at 2 o'clock this afternoon. Deceased was native of Oregon and was aged 44 years. She had resided near Turlock for about five years, and is survived by a husband, Herbert R. Erickson, two sons, Mr. C. H. Erickson and Mrs. Herbert Schell, both of Oregon; and two brothers, Dan E. Layton of Washington, and Frank D. Layton of Portland, Ore.

Mrs. Cora Johnson has returned from a visit of two weeks in San Francisco.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Rickenbacher arrived today from Topeli, Kansas, for a visit with their sons, H. W. and L. H. Rickenbacher.

Mrs. Cora Johnson of this city was married in Denver today to Gerald T. Hoffmann of that city.

Rev. J. F. Simmons was here from Palo Alto this week looking after his farm property in this vicinity.

N. S. G. W. CLUB
OBTAINS QUARTERS
MERCED, Oct. 25.—At a meeting of Yosemite park, No. 24, N. S. G. W. club, held last night, plans submitted by the Masonic lodge for the quarters for the Native Sons in the proposed new Masonic building were considered, and a committee was appointed to confer with the building committee of the Masons to have the plans adapted to the requirements of the California order.

The Masons are planning to erect a building at the corner of Eighteenth and M streets, leaving an entire floor to the Native Sons. The Native Sons have been in the building for some time, and the building committee of the Masons includes John Casey, J. A. Robinson and A. L. Silman.

SCHOOL CHILDREN
TO ATTEND FAIR
MARCOPA, Oct. 25.—Twenty big new passenger automobiles will carry the Marcopa school children to the Kern County Agricultural Fair on Friday, when children from school in the county will attend the fair for the purpose of celebrating school day. The children and teachers will commence the work of the fair by decorating the automobiles on Thursday and many will be put in the big parade on Friday. The use of the autos is being donated by public spirited citizens who wish to see that the children who can attend the county fair.

CIVIC CENTER MEETS
GLENN, Oct. 25.—The Glenn Civic Center held its first meeting of the year on Monday evening, October 24, in the schoolhouse. A very enthusiastic crowd was present. There was considerable discussion on the good roads proposition, many points both for and against being presented. There was also an interesting discussion on the work of the peace and saint associations. After the discussion a very enjoyable program was presented, when a straw vote was taken for the presidential election, which resulted as follows: Wilson, 22; Hughes, 6; Hamilton, 1.

RIVERBANK RANCHMAN WAS KILLED IN EAST

Fell Victim to Bullet of Half-Witted Man Who Nurtured Grudge

RIVERBANK, Oct. 25.—A large concourse of people attended funeral services held yesterday for Anson D. Green, a prominent ranchman of this place, who was shot and killed at Morgan, Oklahoma, last Friday by a half-witted man who had nurtured a grudge against Green for many years, and took Green's life while he was on a visit to his old home in Oklahoma. The funeral service was conducted by Rev. J. H. Rogers, former pastor of the M. E. church, which Mr. Green was a member. The remains were taken to Modesto for burial. He leaves a widow and five children.

TELEPHONE COMPANY TO EXPEND \$10,000

Modesto System to Be Improved With Three New Out-of-Town Lines

MODESTO, Oct. 25.—Ten thousand dollars will be expended on improvement and extension of the Modesto telephone system of the Pacific Telephone & Telegraph company, and plans and specifications were yesterday received by Manager Edward Garner. The specifications call for construction of three new lines from Modesto to neighboring towns. A main line will be built to the Santa Fe east of Modesto, and three branch lines will radiate to Oakdale, Empire and Hingham. The main toll line to Newman will be entirely rebuilt with new poles and wires will be used on all lines. A number of new cables and laterals will be the improvements for Modesto. The telephone system has made phenomenal growth since last January 1, and 100 new subscribers have been added to the list during the last eight months. The number of subscribers has increased from 300 to 1,300.

Y. M. C. A. GIVES ANNUAL BANQUET

Prominent Officials Speak at Banquet; Gathering to Improve Park; Halloween Social; Notes

SANGER, Oct. 25.—About sixty-five people attended the annual banquet of the Y. M. C. A. building, it being the occasion of the annual banquet and general get-together of the Y. M. C. A. of this place. The principal speakers were, Wm. McFay, state county secretary, Harold Savage, and E. W. Lindner. The banquet was given by the various church organizations and was enjoyed by all the participants.

A movement is on foot to have work done on the park again. The ladies of the improvement club are taking the matter up and endeavoring to have a regular man at work for some time irrigating and cultivating. The trees have made a good growth, and it only remains to have them taken care of to have a splendid park in the very near future.

Mrs. Bessie Schwartz has sold her house on Redwood avenue to Mrs. Harriet Breiber.

The ladies of the Episcopal Guild will give a Halloween masquerade ball on the night of Oct. 28. A very competent committee will have charge of the affair and this will be the first entertainment of the season the ladies are expecting to have a good crowd.

The first entertainment of the Lyceum lecture course, which is being put on this winter will be given at the high school next Friday night. A quartet will present the first number. Seats to the amount of about \$100 have been subscribed for the series, which promises to be one of the best given so far.

W. D. Mitchell left this afternoon for San Francisco on a business trip.

P. J. Pierce has come to Modesto on business and will be gone for several days.

PLAY IS GIVEN BY TULARE CLUB

Homa Talant Present Musical Number Entitled, "Two Hours in Dixie," and to Good Audience

TULARE, Oct. 25.—Home talent, under the auspices of the Tulare Club, presented a musical show, entitled "Two Hours in Dixie," here this evening to a good audience. Among those who took part were: Harold Baker, Frank Monverde, C. M. Burnett, Mrs. J. J. Mitchell, Sol H. Rosenthal, Miss Irene Conley, Miss Ellen Ramona Little, Louis Woodward, Harold Sherman, Courtland Knight, Roy S. Tozer, W. A. Cheshire, Charles Horstberger, M. C. Zimmerman, Andrew Monteverde, C. J. Mitchell, Harold Hoyt, Will S. Triplett, Miss Anna Cochran, Miss Kathryn Holland, Little Miss Carolyn Louise Pratt, Little Miss Virginia Helm, Master Marlowe Anderson, Master Jack Hollins, Harold McCourt, Fred Kelling, E. C. Snyder, C. M. Folk, Mrs. S. W. Miss Mabel Tennip. The ushers were prominent business men, including J. M. Shreve, G. C. Burnett, W. A. Higgins and J. T. Urive.

MANY TO ENTER IN FLOWER SHOW

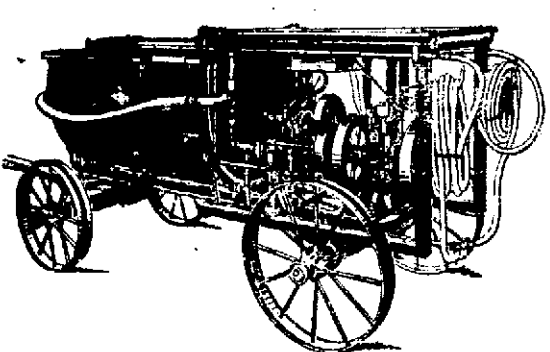
PORTERVILLE, Oct. 25.—Leslie W. Laumeister, secretary of the Chamber of Commerce, announces that many entries are being received for the flower show, to be held under Chamber auspices November 3 and 4. The show is to be held in the Second street pavilion.

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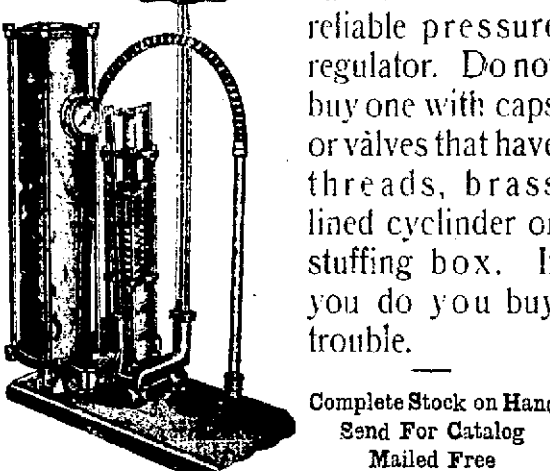
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When you buy a spray pump, hand or power, insist on one with porcelain lined cylinders, threadless valve caps, valves and seats;

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Latest Gossip
and Comment

-- IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS --

Happenings in
Athletic World

SEALS SPOIL SOTHORON'S CHANCE TO ESTABLISH RECORD FOR WINNING GAMES

Bunny Brief Drives Out Two Home Runs and Ties
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Division No. 2	
Lowell	107 77 564
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Today's Matches	
H. H. H. Hunt vs. George Warner	6-2, 7-5
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Additional Sports

TENER TAKES ISSUE
WITH DAVIE FULTZ

National President Declares Barnstorming Trips Are Against Baseball Rules

NEW YORK, Oct. 25.—President Tener of the National League takes issue with Davie Fultz, president of the Players' Fraternity, who has protested against the contemplated action of the National Commission in forcing ball players for barnstorming after the league season is over.

Mr. Tener said that in each contract signed by the player there is a clause in which the player agrees not to play after the season without the approval of the commission. "This clause was inserted," he said, "to protect territorial rights of the different clubs."

The National League president declared that the commission has power to fine players for any such infraction of the rules, but would not say that such fines have been levied against the Boston American players for participating in a game against New Haven a few days after winning the world series.

He asserted that the New York Nationals and Philadelphia Athletics and several other independent players and contracts in this respect, and added, "there undoubtedly will be a great deal of discussion."

HIKING CLUB ISSUES
GET TOGETHER CALL

The committee of ten who are interested in the welfare of members of the Hiking Club, which is being promoted by the playground department, will meet at the playground office in the city hall this evening at 7 o'clock. A number of the committee have reported much encouragement in the report already.

Only those who are really interested in hiking are wanted on the club, as walking will be the leading feature of the organization. Social stunts, however, will not be lacking, and a variety of program is planned that will keep the club a live body.

A fact that has created a little discussion is that women are showing a greater interest in the hiking than are the men of Fresno.

The advantages of walking, when considered in connection with physical development, are invaluable in this city about day and age.

OLYMPIC CLUB BOX
FIGHTERS ARE READY

Tomorrow night's four-round boxing bouts at the Olympic Athletic Club arena, in the dancing pavilion at Zephyr Park, are attracting more than passing attention, and all eyes point to a capacity house crowding the millers when the going begins for the first scrap.

Bakun and Wells, who meet in the main event, have put the finishing touches to their training and promise to make the fight for it. Kendall and McCann are ready and the same applies to rest of the card.

Concluding the night's entertainment will be a wrestling match in which William Glendon, 140-pound Greek champion of Fresno, and Young Plombe, champion of Italy, will be the contenders.

DUCK PIN LEAGUERS
TO CONTINUE SERIES

Knights of the duck pin will assemble at the Brinkley address this evening and the George Brothers and Brinkley teams will play the second game of the series, beginning at 8 o'clock. Following will be the lineup of the opposing teams: George Brothers—Ward, captain; Copeland, Fisher, Brinkley, Anderson and George Mitchell; Brinkley—Corlew, captain; Derr, Johnson, Eke, Stockton and Wagoner.

Next Tuesday afternoon on the Brinkley address, the Brinkley and Wagoner teams will meet in the second game of their series.

Big Boston Booster
Back From Beantown

Layton Ward, one of the staunchest friends of "Dutch" Leonard and, of course, a real Sox fan, first last and all the time returned to Fresno yesterday following a visit to Boston and Fenway as a spectator at the world's series.

As Ward was for the Red Sox and especially the day that the Fresno friend pitched, there was nothing to the series but the Boston crew.

Ward left Leonard in Boston and brought back word that "Dutch" will leave for sunny California about November 1.

DECISION TO AHERN

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Oct. 25.—Young Albert, Milwaukee, middleweight, outpointed Lou Rothman, Milwaukee, in a round non-decision contest here last night.

California Girls
Will Meet Dickey
Team at Baseball

The girls' baseball teams of the California and Dickey playgrounds will meet on the diamond at California field this afternoon, beginning at 4 o'clock.

Following is the lineup of the Dickey team: Dickey, pitcher; Josie Freeman, catcher; Lorene Nelson, first base; Dimple Day, second base; Amy Freeman, third base; Mildred Moore, center field; Cora Bramlett, right field; Marjorie Doyle, left field; Ardel Nelson, right short; and Blanche Stinson, left short.

FAMOUS DRIVERS WILL
RACE AT BAKERSFIELD

Reads, Bolden and Others Will Face Starter in Auto Meet Next Saturday

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 25.—Saturday will be get-away day for the Kern County Fair, and the big feature will be the automobile races for which \$2,000 in prizes is offered and for which the free-for-all motorcycle races. Several hundred dollars will be hung out in this event, which will be held at the fairgrounds, in which Eddie and Harry Rice of Bakersfield and Fred Lathrop of Los Angeles will be the competitors.

Among the automobile drivers will be Clyde Roads, the sensational local pilot; Tom Smith, a National Specialist; Walter Smith, Maxwell, Elmer Elliott, Gordon Speed, Wilton Bolden, Chawchilla; Paul Bolden, Richmond Special; M. Sorenson of Los Angeles; Dusenberry Special; and H. A. McMillin in an M. & S. Special.

CLASSY RACING FEATURES
OPENING CARD AT KERN
COUNTY FAIR MEET

Lock Logan Starts Well But Mone Ansel Proves Best in Two Last Heats

BAKERSFIELD, Oct. 25.—Good sport characterized the opening day program of the Kern County Fair at the fairgrounds this afternoon. A close race went to the post in the 220 class today, among the starters being Lock Logan and Mone Ansel. The first heat was won by Lock Logan, 2:24, who was the best time of the event. Mone Ansel took the second heat, 2:25, and was the best time of the event.

Lock Logan started well in each race. Mone Ansel's best time was 2:24. In the 220 class today, Lock Logan won in straight heats, with Columbia 1, second and Mone Ansel, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 16th, 17th, 18th, 19th, 20th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th, 30th, 31st, 32nd, 33rd, 34th, 35th, 36th, 37th, 38th, 39th, 40th, 41st, 42nd, 43rd, 44th, 45th, 46th, 47th, 48th, 49th, 50th, 51st, 52nd, 53rd, 54th, 55th, 56th, 57th, 58th, 59th, 60th, 61st, 62nd, 63rd, 64th, 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 71st, 72nd, 73rd, 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th, 79th, 80th, 81st, 82nd, 83rd, 84th, 85th, 86th, 87th, 88th, 89th, 90th, 91st, 92nd, 93rd, 94th, 95th, 96th, 97th, 98th, 99th, 100th, 101st, 102nd, 103rd, 104th, 105th, 106th, 107th, 108th, 109th, 110th, 111th, 112th, 113th, 114th, 115th, 116th, 117th, 118th, 119th, 120th, 121st, 122nd, 123rd, 124th, 125th, 126th, 127th, 128th, 129th, 130th, 131st, 132nd, 133rd, 134th, 135th, 136th, 137th, 138th, 139th, 140th, 141st, 142nd, 143rd, 144th, 145th, 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California Oil

OIL SUPERVISOR IS INSPECTING MIDWAY

R. P. McLaughlin Is Visiting Leases to See That Law Is Enforced

TAPT, Oct. 25.—R. P. McLaughlin, state oil and gas supervisor, is spending several days in the fields making a roundup of those who have failed to obey the law relative to sending in logs of their various wells about the Midway-Sunset district. The passing of the Midway bill, which created the supervisory board, has made it compulsory that all logs be on file in the offices of the state mining bureau. This enables the bureau officials to determine with accuracy where casing should be landed and water shut off in wells to be drilled. Though the office of oil and gas supervisor was created more than a year ago, some have failed to meet this requirement. Supervisor McLaughlin has been exceedingly lenient with many, because of their inability to get proper logs. This has been brought about in many cases where properties changed hands and the logs of wells drilled were not turned over to the new owners.

ASSOCIATED COMPANY TAKES OVER LEASE

Will Operate Mt. Diablo Property of North American Company

TAPT, Oct. 25.—Through a deal consummated two weeks ago, which became effective on October 16, the Associated Oil Company has taken over the Mt. Diablo lease of the North American Oil Consolidated, on section 26-32-23, in the Twenty-Five Hill district. The terms of the deal have not in any way been made public in the fields. The only change made that is perceptible to those conversant with the details is that the new man has been put in charge. The entire force of the North American was kept by the new owners. Indications are that the plans of the North American to drill twenty new wells, nearly half of which are now down, are to be carried out by the Associated. There are now 39 producing wells, four of which are being drilled and one idle producing well.

This is less than 18 gravity territory. The deal evidences the need of the Associated for a greater production of fuel oil to supply the demands of the Southern Pacific Company. Though it has a number of good properties, the greater part of its wells produce high gravity oil. This purchase will put the organization high in the ranks of fuel oil producers and give it an opportunity to overcome the need of making fuel oil purchases elsewhere.

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BRING IN PRODUCERS ON MCKITTRICK FRONT

Success Attends Drilling of Wells in New Territory; Brief Oil Notes

MCKITTRICK, Oct. 25.—Successful drilling for petroleum on the North McKittrick front continues, the results being excellent. Following the bringing in of well No. 3 a few days ago with a production of 10 barrels or 14 gravity, on section 26, 23, 24, the well on the corner of the Pacific and the Midway road has just added another producer to its list, this well being the No. 4, yielding 100 barrels. When it is borne in mind that the Pacific (Trade Oil Company), operating in the same section, within the last few days has completed a well producing 30 barrels daily, the importance of these discoveries may well be understood as demonstrating the possibilities of the field. The depth of the well, 144 feet, and the fact that the Pacific (Trade Oil Company) has just added another producer to its list, this well being the No. 4, yielding 100 barrels. When it is borne in mind that the Pacific (Trade Oil Company), operating in the same section, within the last few days has completed a well producing 30 barrels daily, the importance of these discoveries may well be understood as demonstrating the possibilities of the field. The depth of the well, 144 feet, and the fact that the Pacific (Trade Oil Company) has just added another producer to its list, this well being the No. 4, yielding 100 barrels.

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FOR RENT—Houses

ROOM modern house, close in, newly painted, outside and inside. Call 1227.

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PINCHOT TO SPEAK HERE TOMORROW FOR HUGHES

G. O. P. Rally at Night in Auditorium; Short to Preside

Big Automobile Parade Will Be Held; Free Speaks in Park

Arrangements for the Gifford Pinchot meeting for tomorrow night in the Fresno auditorium were completed yesterday by the Republican County Central Committee and Frank H. Short will preside at the meeting and introduce the speaker to the audience. Pinchot will reach Fresno tomorrow afternoon and will be the guest of honor at a dinner at the Hotel Fresno. Pinchot, former head of the forestry department during the administration of Roosevelt, is touring the country in behalf of the candidacy of Charles Evans Hughes. Pinchot has been talking to packed houses on the Pacific coast and from the interest that is being shown here it is very evident that he will draw a capacity crowd to the auditorium. In fact the members of the central committee are so confident of the large crowd that arrangements have been made to have Charles E. Peery, a San Francisco attorney, address the overflow crowd.

There will be an automobile parade from the Hotel Fresno to the auditorium, just preceding the meeting. Four bands have been engaged by Chase Osborn, Jr., chairman of the central committee; there will be plenty of red fire and the meeting will be in the nature of an old style G. O. P. rally.

Free Will Speak Here

Plans were completed yesterday for Arthur M. Free, district attorney of Santa Clara county, to address the voters on the Republican issues at 6 o'clock tomorrow night in court house park. Tilton's band has been engaged to furnish the music.

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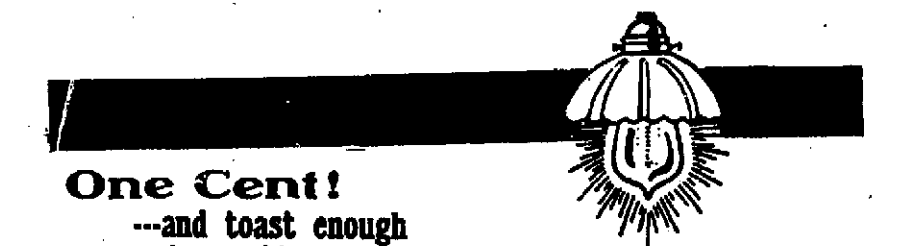
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RETURNS ADD TO DEFEAT OF BONDS

Only 'Three of Thirteen Additional Precincts Show Gain for Bonds

With thirteen precincts received yesterday by the county clerk bringing the total precincts counted up to 171, the vote for the bond issue stands as follows:

For, 8478; against, 8617. The additional returns show that the bonds are hopelessly defeated.

There are yet thirty precincts to be heard from before the returns are completed. The thirteen precincts counted yesterday gave a total of 28 for the bonds as against 395 against them.

Only three of the thirteen precincts received yesterday to be counted showed that more votes had been cast in favor of the bonds.

The following shows the additional count made yesterday:

Precincts	Yes	No
De Wolf	21	57
Manning	21	17
Central Colony	17	16
Hanckton	29	71
Mahara	29	29
Panama	12	1
Laguna	12	1
Miller	12	1
Autheer	12	1
Medfordville	19	20
Claremont	102	1
Bethel	43	31
Lucerne	11	63

WILSON WOMEN WILL CONVEY AT HUGHES

National Political Issues Will Be Discussed by Women Lecturers

Either Miss Francis Joffile or Mrs. Lillian Harris Coffin of San Francisco will address the All Parties Woodrow Wilson League at the Hughes Hotel at 2:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Mrs. Joffile is secretary, received word from the state headquarters of the league yesterday afternoon that one of the speakers would be available for Saturday and immediately arranged for the court at the Hughes Hotel for a meeting place. As the local league now has nearly two hundred members, a large crowd is expected. All women who are interested in the discussion of national issues are invited to attend the gathering. Mrs. S. L. Wiley, president, will preside as chairman of the afternoon.

TO FORM CLUB TO AID WILSON

A Woodrow Wilson club will be formed Friday night at a meeting in district hall in Volkers building. Mrs. S. L. Wiley, president of the Fresno county organization of the All Parties Woodrow Wilson League, will be one of the speakers. G. L. Ayneworth will also make an address.

ARE PREPARING FOR '17 RAISIN DAY CELEBRATION

Officers Will Be Elected at Meeting on November 15

Retiring Directors Pay Last Bills; Plan Big Festival

Business connected with the 1916 Raisin Day celebration was completed yesterday by the retiring directors of the Fresno County Raisin Day Festival Association. Yesterday afternoon, and plans for the 1917 celebration were formally discussed and will be taken up at the next meeting on November 15 which will be held at 3 o'clock in the city council chamber. H. Wingate Lake, president of the festival association, tendered his resignation at yesterday's meeting, but strong pressure is being brought to bear to have him continue as the head of the association for another year. Lake is treasurer of the Chamber of Commerce, and is a member of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce's delegate to the meetings. Louis Gundelfinger, vice-president and representative from the park commission, also resigned yesterday. Gundelfinger, who has served three years on the board, said that he wanted to retire to give himself an opportunity, but that he would act in an advisory capacity at any time his services were requested. Gundelfinger at his own request has been replaced by Will Marshall as the Park Commission's representative. By unanimous vote yesterday Gundelfinger was re-elected to remain on the board as a director, if he would not consent to take an office.

The bulk of yesterday's business was devoted to paying a few bills that had not been presented at the meeting held in May.

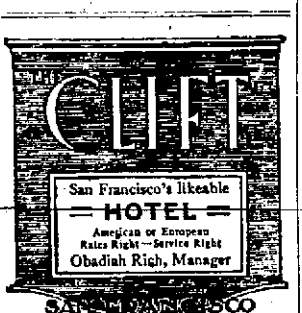
As a long many of the organizations that are entitled to representatives on the board of the festival association were not represented yesterday, an attempt will be made to have delegates named before the next meeting. H. E. Patterson, R. L. Quigley and R. C. Averill were named as a committee to see that the representatives are named. George Boles acted as temporary chairman yesterday.

The meeting in November will be an important one, as officers will be named for the coming year and committees appointed. It is the intention to have plans in shape within a few weeks, so that active work can be started to have the 1917 celebration surpass that of this year.

The organizations represented in the festival association and the delegates are:

Fresno County Chamber of Commerce, H. Wingate Lake.
Fresno Commercial Club, Hayden F. Jones.
Board of Supervisors, Will Collins.
City Trust Company, George Boles.
City Beautiful, Miss Cory.
Y. M. C. A., R. C. Averill.
Fresno Park Commission, W. S. Marshall.
Fresno Playground Commission, R. L. Quigley.
Fresno Merchants' Association, H. E. Patterson.
Kingsburg Board of Trade, Levi Garrett.
has been re-named the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce, C. K. Smith.
Selma Chamber of Commerce, Harry Say.
Kerman Chamber of Commerce, C. A. Johnson.

The organizations to name representatives are: City Board of Education, San Joaquin Valley Counties Association, W. C. A., Parlor League Club, Fresno, Clearing House, California Association Raisin Committee, Rotary Club, Fowler Business Men's Club, Parlier Chamber of Commerce, Sanger Chamber of Commerce, Coalinga Chamber of Commerce.



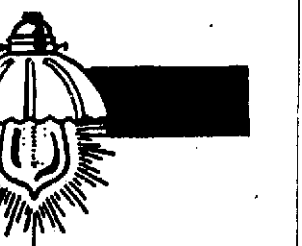
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MISSION WORK IS THEME OF PASTOR

A. G. Daniels, Head of Adventist Church, Tells of Foreign Missionaries

The value of foreign missionary work was the theme of Pastor Arthur G. Daniels of Washington, D. C., president of the World Conference of Seventh-Day Adventist churches, who spoke before the local congregation last night.

Missionary enterprise was declared to be the greatest single factor in the world today. Pastor Daniels pointed out that there are 35,000 missionaries in the foreign fields today and that they are assisted by 125,000 native missionaries. The sum of \$25,000,000 is spent annually on foreign missionary work, and the speaker said that the native converts are now raising \$15,000,000 to add to that sum that the work may be extended.

The Seventh-day Adventist denomination has as its goal the raising of 15 cents per week from every member for foreign missions. Pastor Daniels pointed out that the local Adventist converts in foreign lands were paying 16 cents per man per week at the present time.

The speaker, answered arguments opposing foreign missions by the statement that true manhood, like true Christianity, meant living for another.

Pastor Daniels leaves today for San Francisco and will sail next week for the Orient. He expects to preside at a conference of the Asiatic Division of the Adventist church in Shanghai on April 5, 1917. On the way to China Pastor Daniels will stop off at the Philippine Islands, where he will meet with Pastor E. M. Adams, brother of Pastor E. H. Adams of this city, who has been a missionary to the islands for the past four years.

During his stay here Pastor Daniels was entertained at the home of Dr. and Mrs. George Hare. Mrs. Hare is the pastor's sister.

REALTY DEALERS TO CONVEY IN OAKLAND

Directors Oppose Prohibition and Single Tax; Favor Good Roads

W. G. Cochran, vice-president of the California State Realty Federation, returned yesterday from Oakland, where he attended a meeting of the directors of the organization. Oakland was selected for the 1916 convention and the eighth annual meeting will be held there, November 16 to 18. It is predicted that approximately 500 will attend the meeting.

On motion of the director from Los Angeles, the directors of the organization went on record as opposed to the two prohibitions, anti-alcohol and the single tax measure but favored the state good roads bond issue.

P. X. CLUB BOYS ELECT OFFICERS

Officers for the next year were elected by the P. X. Club of the Y. M. C. A. at the last regular meeting held Tuesday night. Norman Menifey was chosen president, Melvin Gibbs, vice-president, Walter Markley, secretary, and Elsie Thorwaldson, treasurer. The club, composed of boys of high school age, meets every Tuesday night under the leadership of H. C. Averill.

The San Joaquin Valley Counties Association, W. C. A., Parlor League Club, Fresno, Clearing House, California Association Raisin Committee, Rotary Club, Fowler Business Men's Club, Parlier Chamber of Commerce, Sanger Chamber of Commerce, Coalinga Chamber of Commerce.

The work for the 1917 celebration will be started with \$3000 on hand, the balance left over from the celebration last year. The money for 1916 was nearly \$2000, the remainder from the 1916 celebration.

The following financial report was submitted by A. W. Burdick, the secretary:

REVENUE	
Balance 1915 association	\$1,849.55
Subscriptions	3,221.66
Grand stand	3,211.29
County queen contest	236.82
City queen contest	87.31
Concessions	396.75
Interest	105.66
Total	\$14,913.05
EXPENSES	
Pageant	\$2,142.65
Expense account	1,478.23
Scenery	1,277.23
Fluents	1,226.89
Publicity	2,088.25
Invitations	62.97
City queen	744.77
Wages and meals	7.00
Prizes	139.95
Parade and float	270.12
County queen	633.60
Special events	686.50
Decorations	570.55
Children's chorus	442.35
Raisin Classic Assn. (Bal.)	.70
Total	\$11,841.92
Cash in bank	\$71.12
1916 receivable	\$3,000.00
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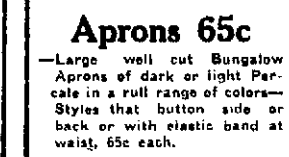
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Very Trim and Charming Are the Suits at \$25

—These include suits of whipcord, gabardine, diagonal cloth and velour checks. Belted and straight-line models, plain and trimmed, and many with the great full collars now so favored. Black, navy blue and colored checks in the collection, and some are fur trimmed.

A Glorious Array of Waists of Newness and Beauty

—40 waists, with deep collars and braided trimmings, navy, flesh or white, \$6.95.

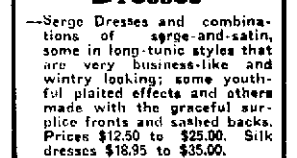
—One model at \$4.50 comes in flesh or white and is made with deep sailor collar with broad satin edge and finished with satin tie. Many charming embroidered designs, \$3.95. We also have some very attractive models at \$4.95. These are variously trimmed with lace.

—Another lot of new waists come in black and white lace and are modestly priced at \$5.00 to \$7.50.



Very Pretty Dresses

—Serge Dresses and combinations of serge and satin, some in long-tunic styles that are very business-like and wintry looking; some youthful plaited effects and others made with the graceful surplus fronts and sashed backs. Prices \$12.50 to \$25.00. Silk dresses \$18.95 to \$35.00.



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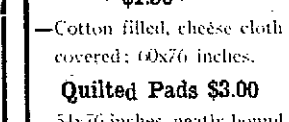
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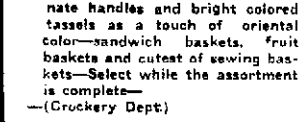
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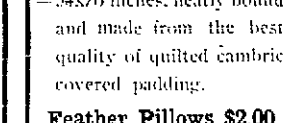
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EPWORTH LEAGUES OF COUNTY WILL RALLY

South and North Will Join in St. Paul's Church Next Sunday

Epworth Leagues of Fresno county will join together in a rally next Sunday afternoon at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church, South. The South and North Methodist societies will meet together, and delegations are expected from every branch in Fresno county. Dr. W. A. Bice, pastor of the First Methodist church, Dr. W. B. Thornton, presiding elder of the South Methodist Conference of this district, and Dr. John Oliver, superintendent of the San Joaquin Methodist district, will be on the program as speakers. There will be two sessions, one beginning at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, and the other at 7:15 in the evening.

Miss Grace Hagaman of Hanford and Ivan Long, Fresno, are the district presidents of the Epworth Leagues.

MINISTERS ADDRESS PRESBYTERIAN RALLY

Young People From Valley Churches Attend Two Meetings Here

Delegates from several Presbyterian churches of the vicinity gathered in the First Presbyterian church yesterday afternoon and evening for a general rally and conference of young people and listened to inspiring words from the two national Presbyterian workers, Rev. G. C. Butterfield, synodical Sunday school superintendent, and Rev. William Ralph Hall, superintendent of young people's work of the board of Christian Education, Philadelphia.

Dr. Butterfield addressed the young people at the afternoon meeting, after which Dr. Hall conducted a conference and question box.

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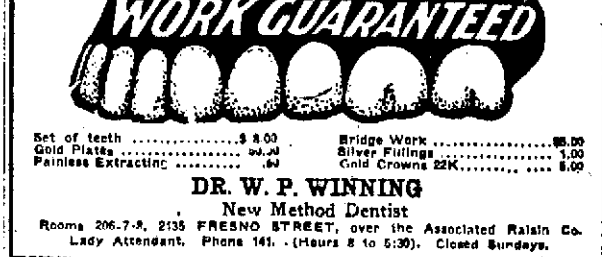


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